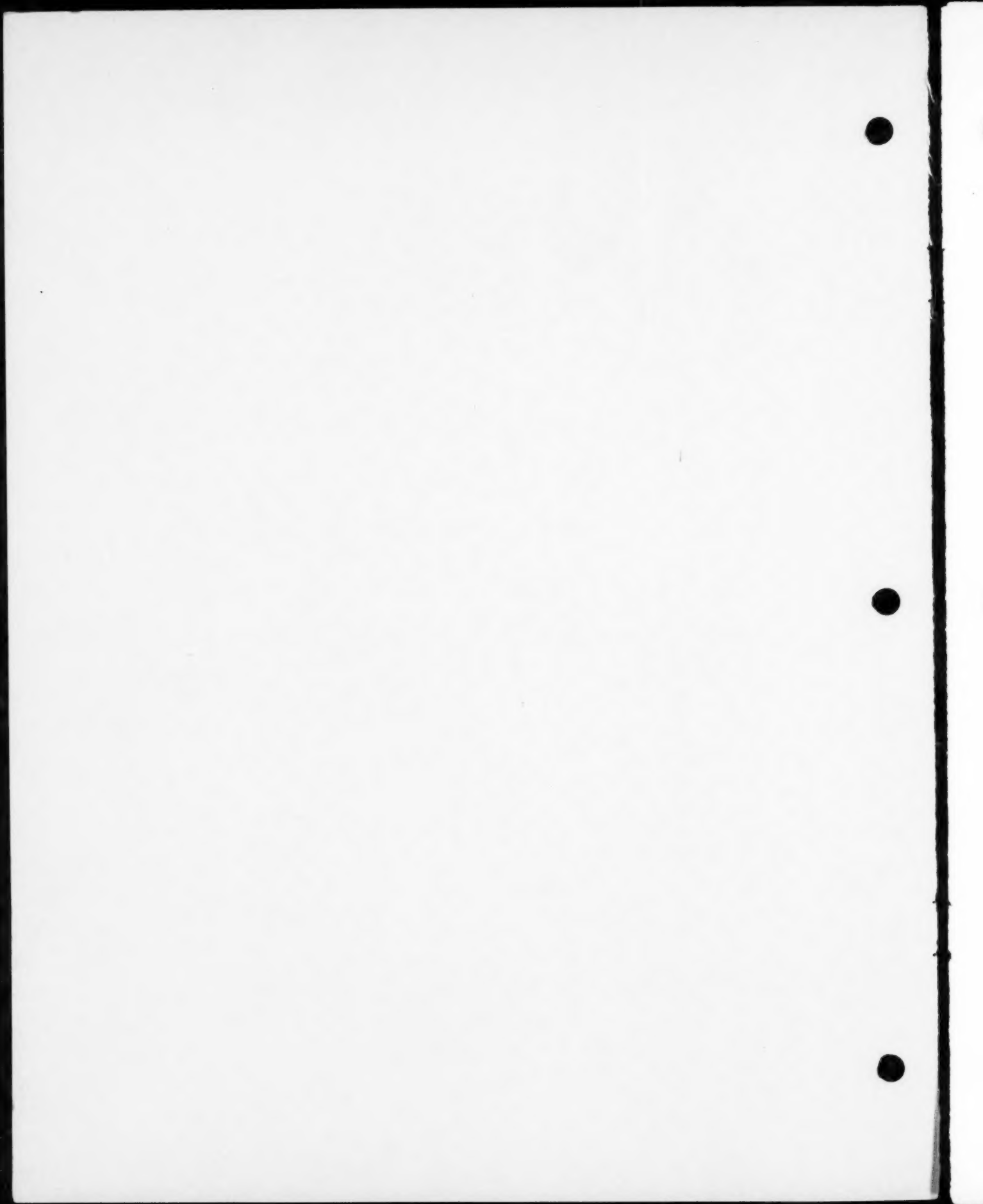


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STATISTICS IN STONES

By Elizabeth Case, Detroit, Michigan

From stones and poets you may know,
Nothing so active is, as that which least seems so.
Francis Thompson, 1859-1907

The rapid deterioration of many of our old cemeteries by nature's erosion plus the thoughtlessness and neglect by the general public makes it imperative that this source of vital records be preserved as soon as possible. On cemetery recording trips tombstones are often found to be so weathered that even the most patient methods cannot bring out the names and vital dates. Sometimes the gravestones are broken. This is often the work of nature but occasionally the result of vandalism. In one cemetery it was obvious that many markers had been removed wholesale. What reason for this, unless perhaps it was to construct an unusual and ghoulish patio?

Other cemeteries are found overgrown with weeds, grass, and bushes. They apparently have been forsaken a good many years, as animal burrows, trails and old nests are in evidence. Another danger threatening the cemeteries is the construction of turnpikes and freeways, as well as the rehabilitation of cities and towns. How many markers have already fallen to bulldozer crews? Once they are destroyed, there is no such thing as recovering them later. And often, a marker is the keystone upon which ancestry can be reconstructed.

Set aside time THIS coming spring and summer to search out and copy the inscriptions of as many old cemeteries in your township or county as possible. It is a satisfying experience as well as a delightful and relaxing change in routine. The combination of fresh air and easy exercise soon has you aware of nature's own beautiful distractions. Set your own pace. The quietness soon alerts your senses and you find in addition to copying inscriptions you are listening to a symphony of nature's musicians. If you take a good friend or two along, the work goes quickly and the data can be checked right then.

A few suggestions on "how to". The data MUST be checked after it has been recorded to insure accuracy in copying. It goes a bit faster if two or more people take the graveyard census. But it can be done alone, if need be. On larger cemeteries, it is usually possible to divide it roughly into halves or thirds. Each individual takes a section and should copy EXACTLY the inscription on each marker. Be careful that you do not miss any stones. Pillar-type stones or monuments very often have inscriptions on more than one face, so it is a good idea to check each side. Once you have finished copying the data in your section, then switch notebooks with your companion and continue on - but with this difference - you will now be checking to see that no tombstones or data were overlooked in the other section. This will also serve as a cross-check on the accuracy of the information your associate tabulated. Meantime, your own entries are being checked by your collaborator. If you are assembling the data by yourself, it is suggested that after you have finished writing up the cemetery you go back on a different day to check your entries as it is better to have a fresh outlook when reviewing them. Far too often, a figure reading 1833, when it is checked later in the day will still look like 1833, but a new day reveals that surely it is 1883.

Take several pieces of chalk along to use on stones where the inscriptions are not readily discernible. By sliding the chalk back and forth over the questionable area, the flat surface will be whitened and the incised letters and figures show up more clearly. From time to time, you will come across old tombstones made of soft stone and because of having faced the weather, they are so badly worn that a complete entry is not obtainable. Do not pass them up, but record as much remaining information as possible. Sometimes it will help to hold the white page of your notebook so that the sun's rays reflect on the inscription, or if the light is too direct, shade the inscription with your notebook. Remember also, it is very important to write down the location of the cemetery - township and county as well as its location in relation to nearest town and major road - so that it can be found by searchers in the future.

After you have completed a cemetery or two, send the material to the DSGR Magazine or to your local historical library, or both, for preservation. Your own pleasure in making such contributions for the use of searchers now, and down through the years, will be a wonderful return for your investment in time and effort.

BOGGS FAMILY RECORD

Contributed by Louise Flett, Milbank, S. D.

Copied, by permission, in the Placer County California Museum from the Pictorial Family Bible, Holman's Edition, published 1897 by A. J. Holman & Co., Philadelphia, from a sheet in handwriting, probably written about 1870 or 1880, pasted into the Bible.

Marriages

Doct John Boggs and Isabella C. Allison were married March 25th 1819
Charles Wharton Jr. and Mary McLanahan Boggs were married on the 18th of January 1842
at 10 o'clock in the morning

Births

Doct John Boggs was born 18th August 1787
Isabella C. Boggs, daughter of Wm. Allison, Esq. born June 14th 1794
Mary McLanahan Boggs born November 18th 1821
Francis Johnson Boggs born November 18th 1821
William Allison Boggs born Oct 1st 1823
John Craig Boggs born October 18th 1825
James B. L. Boggs born October 20th 1828
Charles Henry Boggs born December 27th 1830
Elizabeth Johnson Boggs born March 29th 1833
Isabel Allison Boggs born February 26th 1838

Deaths

Doct John Boggs died July 12th 1847 at quarter before 7 o'clock in the morning in
the sixtieth year of his age
Isabella C. Boggs died May 15th at quarter past 10 o'clock a.m. in the
56th year of her age

"This is correct."

Family Record in Bible filled in:

	<u>Birth</u>	<u>Marriage</u>	<u>Death</u>
John Craig Boggs b. Greencastle, Pa.	Oct 18th 1825	Apr 16th 1879	May 28 1909
Alice Watson Boggs	Mo. Jan 27th 1851	Apr 16th 1879	Dec 5 1912

From clippings pasted into the Bible:

John C. Boggs arrived at "Woods Dry Diggings" (Auburn) on Sept. 28, 1849; was a storekeeper and postmaster. Came to California by way of the Isthmus of Panama, arriving in San Francisco on September 14, 1849. Was sheriff, mined successfully, founded the first paper in the county. Married in 1857, Lovisa C. Harrington by whom he had two children: John G. Boggs and Belle Boggs, who died young. He married, second, April 1899 Alice Watson, who survived. He belonged to a distinguished family; his father was a physician; three brothers were ministers and one was a lawyer. Had one sister living in Philadelphia at the time of his death.

Funeral Notices in the Bible:

Died at Newcastle, California May 28, 1909 JOHN CRAIG BOGGS, a native of Greencastle, Pa.
Ae 83 years 7 months 10 days
Died in Newcastle, California, March 1, 1891, Isabel Allison Boggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
J. C. Boggs. A native of California, ae 32 years and 6 months
Died in Newcastle Apr. 5, 1898, Mrs. L. C. Boggs, wife of John C. Boggs, a native of Maine,
in her 69th year

CHRISTIAN CLEMENS OF MT. CLEMENS, MICH.

With Notes on His Forebears and Descendants

By Rebecca L. Crittenden, Brighton, Mich.

Christian Clemens, the founder of Mount Clemens, Michigan was born 31 January 1768, according to an entry in his father's Bible. His parents were Dunkards, a branch of the Mennonite sect of Pennsylvania Germans, living in Horsham Twp., Philadelphia Co., Pa. at the time of his birth.

JACOB¹ CLEMENS, Christian's great, great, grandfather, is the earliest family progenitor recorded in the family papers. Because of the persecution of the Mennonites in the latter part of the seventeenth century, it is presumed that Jacob was driven from the Lower Palatinate. With his family, he took refuge in Holland and was at Bardelome, Holland in 1707. The name of his wife does not appear in the records of Gerhart, but one source calls her Mary ---.

GERHART² CLEMENS, a son of Jacob¹, kept a notebook* or diary, in his own handwriting, down to 1740. In this diary, Gerhart recorded that he was born in 1680, and that he came to Pennsylvania in 1709. In March of that year, he wrote in his diary that he was settling his affairs for the removal to America. Some quotations from the diary read, "Anno 1709, March 8, I, Jacob Clemens, gave my son Gerhart by my own hand 126 guilders" and "Anno 1709, March 3, I, John Clemens, have settled with my brother, Gerhart Clemens and made everything balance regarding his purchased goods." Gerhart also recorded the settlement of accounts with his father-in-law, but neglected to mention his name.†

According to tradition, this brother, John, was later a merchant, unmarried, in the city of New York and another brother, Jacob, was said to have lived in Chester County, Pennsylvania.

After arranging his affairs, Gerhart Clemens proceeded to London where his name appeared on the first list of Palatines made by the Board of Trade on 3 May 1709. Accompanying him were his wife and two sons, aged 5 and 1½ years. He was classed as a husbandman and vine-dresser, also a "linen cloth weaver", age 28, church affiliation, Baptist. The family sailed from London to New York and by October 1709 was in Philadelphia.

In Pennsylvania, Gerhart Clemens settled first in the Township of Skippack, Philadelphia County (Perkiomen Region), where on the 1 May 1711, he purchased a farm of 100 acres from Matthias Bibber. He was among the signers of a petition, sent to the Court of Quarter Sessions in Philadelphia, 2 June 1713, which resulted in the building of the "The Famous Skippack Road". On 14 Feb. 1717/18, he procured 690 acres in Salford Twp., Philadelphia County, out of a tract of 3000 acres granted on 10 Sept. 1717 to David Powell. Gerhart, then, received a patent on 15 April 1734 for the 690 acres. This comprised slightly more than a square mile and was

*This notebook or diary in later years, came into the possession of Abraham K. Cassel, the antiquarian of Salford Township. Upon the death of Mr. Cassel, much of his collection was dispersed; many of his books and diaries were purchased by Juniata College, Huntington County, Pa.

†"...Hans Stauffer migrated to the vicinity of Alsheim in Hesse Darmstadt, where he married Kinget Hiestand, the young widow of Michael Reif and the mother of Anna Reif."..."Anna Reif married Gerhart Clemens, who came to America in 1709. Hans, with his wife and family of four children, followed in 1710. They settled near Valley Forge, Pennsylvania." From The Perkiomen Region, Vol. x, No. 3, Whole No. 38, page 96. From the same source, page 53, "...Kinget Hiestand had previously been married to Michael Reiff and lived at Metterheim, Switzerland. They had one daughter Anne who married Gerhart Clemens in August 1702 near Weissenan, on the Rhine (near Mainz)." Again from this source, Vol. x, No. 2, Whole No. 37, April 1932, pages 66 and 67, "Michael Reif...lived at Metterheim, Switzerland where he died about 1684 leaving a wife and infant daughter. His wife was Kinget Hiestand. In 1685 she married Hans Stauffer ...and because of persecution of Mennonites fled from Switzerland and settled near Mainz, on the Rhine. According to Hans Stauffer's notebooks, Michael Reif left at least 100 rix dollars (150 guildens) to his widow and 215 guildens to his daughter Anne. Hans Stauffer seems to have been Anne's guardian. At any rate, he held in trust the money, which Anne inherited and which was not fully paid over to her until some years after her marriage when they all were settled in Pennsylvania."..."Only child of MICHAEL and KINGET REIF, ANNE married GERHARD CLEMENS."

located on the Northeast Branch of Perkiomen Creek, the first known settlement in Lower Salford, this area becoming Montgomery County in 1784. He built a house on the west side of Branch Creek but later erected a larger and more commodious residence on the east side of the same stream. In 1726, he built the first grist mill in Salford Township. Later, he sold parts of his holdings to his sons Jacob, John (Johannes), and Abraham.

On the 9 January 1729/30, Gerhart Clemens was naturalized. He, with his son-in-law, John Valentine Kratz were among the signers of a petition to Governor Patrick Gordon on 10 May 1728, requesting relief from the Indians.

Gerhart Clemens, according to family tradition lived his latter years with his son, Jacob. He died in Salford Township in 1745.

Children of Gerhart and Anna (Reif)⁺ Clemens:

- i Jacob, b. ca 1704, aged 5 years in 1709. He married Barbara --- who d. 14 Dec. 1779. This couple moved to Gwynedd Twp., Philadelphia Co., Pa., ca 1769, but returned to the Lower Salford homestead in 1779. Jacob d. 1782. There was a large family, and there may have been others. The listing is not in the order of birth:

1. Ann, b. 30 Dec. 1729	6. John
2. Esther, b. 11 Jan. 1731	7. Michael
3. Margaret, b. 16 Jan. 1734	8. Jacob
4. Elizabeth, b. 1743; d. 1763	9. Susannah, b. after 1758
5. Gerhardt, b. 1745	(Two daughters married sons of Andrew Zeigler.)
- iii J. JOHANNES³, b. 24 August 1707.
- iii Abraham, b. Lower Salford Twp., Philadelphia Co., Pa., in 1710; d. 1777 in Bucks Co., Pa. He married Catharine Bachman, b. 1710; d. 1776; daughter of George and Maria (Schnebley) Bachman. They had four sons and four daughters. (See reference, A Gen. Hist. of the Kolb, Kulp or Culp Family, by Cassel.)
 1. George, d. Sept. 1813; m. in Chester Co., Pa., Elizabeth Carlisle. They had sons: Abraham, George, and John.
 2. Gerhardt, died young.
 3. Abraham, b. 31 Dec. 1752; m. Mary Steiner who d. 15 Sept. 1808. Two of their children were: Catherine and Magdalena, who both lived in Ontario, Canada.
 4. Jacob, b. 1754; m. Elizabeth Lederach who died Chester, Pa. 1819. A known son, Abraham, b. 3 July 1780; m. Magdalen Miller, Chester, Pa.
 5. Mary, m. 6 Nov. 1766, Jacob Kolb (Kulb), b. 1740; d. 1818. They lived in Kulpsville.
 6. Anna, m. Mathias Stauffer, son of Christian and Elizabeth Stauffer. Both are buried in the Tomamencia Burial Grounds.
 7. Betty; m. George Markley. They lived at Framington, Pa.
 8. Catrina.

⁺Hans Stauffer left two notebooks which are deposited with the Pennsylvania Genealogical Society, Philadelphia, Pa. They have been translated and extracts from them published by the society. The following extracts which relate to GERHART CLEMENS and ANNA REIF are taken from The Perkiomen Region, Vol. x, No. 2, April 1932, Whole No. 37, page 79, Appendix XIII.

"I, Hans Stauffer, my wife Kinget Hiestand had money from her mother from Switzerland 29 R, say 29 Guldens. Moreover my wife Kinget Hiestand, when I got her, had 100 R from Michael Reif from Metterheim 1685.

Gerhart Clemens married Anelin Reif in the year 1702.

I gave out of that which came from Michael Reif for my daughter Anna, called Anel, toward her wedding --- . First an ox weighed 120 pounds, a pound for a groschen. Is reckoned together 6 guldens.... The groceries for the wedding 2 guldens. Moreover I gave toward the wedding in linen cloth 2 guldens. Moreover I gave Anel 2 guldens for the chest 1702 August. Moreover I gave Anel a cow and a calf.... I, Hans Stauffer, gave my step daughter Anneli Reif, from the Michael Reif heritage, a cow and a calf valued at 18 guldens. I, Hans Stauffer gave my step child Anli Reif woolen cloth toward her wedding for 18 guldens, August 9, 1702. I, Hans Stauffer gave my step child Anneli Reif, woolen cloth toward the wedding for 12 guldens, August 9, 1702.

I, Hans Stauffer, owe my son-in-law Gerhart Clemens of the goods from Metterheim, which came from Michael Reif, 160 guldens, say 100 and 60 R. I, Gerhart Clemens, acknowledge that my

- iv Ann, d. 1793; married John Valentine Kratz, b. Palatinate in 1707; d. 1780; arrived in Philadelphia 16 Oct. 1727 on ship, "Friendship" and settled in Upper Salford Township. He was one of the original members of the Salford Mennonite Meeting; he and Ann are buried in the graveyard of this Meeting House. He was naturalized 11 April 1743. There were six children.
- v A daughter; m. George Wagley.

JOHANNES³ CLEMENS (Gerhart², Jacob¹). On the fly-leaf of the family Bible of Johannes Clemens, it reads, "Johannes Clemens, born at Bardelome, Holland, August 24, 1707. This Bible I bought of Johannes Brand for 2 pounds in the year 1750." The Bible was in German, printed at Nurnberg in 1747. From Johannes it was passed to his son Garret (Gerhart) of Horsham Township; thence to Garret's daughter Catherine (Clemens) Keyser--wife of Rev. Peter Keyser of Germantown--on to their son Peter Keyser; and finally to Abraham Clemens of Upper Sandusky, Ohio. Abraham was the oldest living male descendant of Garret Clemens at that time. His sons, Alfred C. Clemens and Thaddeus F. Clemens gave this Bible to the Burton Historical Collection of the Detroit Public Library, Detroit, Michigan in December 1928.

Recorded in this same Bible was the marriage of Johannes, 6 March 1732, "according to the customs of this Country and before witnesses" to Elisabeth Allebacherin, daughter of Christian Allebach, a Mennonite farmer.

On 6 September 1738, Gerhart and Anna conveyed to Johannes 141 acres of land with "a certain grist mill, messuage, plantation and tract of land on a branch of Perkiomen Creek." Johannes continued to operate the mill until 25 May 1764 when he sold it to Frederick Aldefer. This mill, thereafter known as "Aldefer's Mill", was conveyed by Frederick Alderfer to his son, John on 1 July 1776. It was situated on the Northeast Branch of Perkiomen Creek, one mile north of Lederachsville.

Children of Johannes and Elisabeth (Allebacherin) Clemens, as recorded in his Bible in beautiful German script:

- i "Our first daughter was born November 30, 1733 and we have called her Margaretta, in the sign of the Cancer.
- ii Our Anna was born A. D. 1735, the 8th of January, in the sign of Aries.
- iii Next we had a son in 1737, the 29th of August and we called him GERHART with the good hope that he would learn to fear God, in the sign of Pisces.
(Five more were born and died)
- iv Christian
- v Rachel
- vi Esther
- vii Rachel
- viii Maria
- ix Later our second son was born the 18th of February, 1750, and we call him Jacob who will be our comfort in our old age, in the sign of Pisces."
- x A child, b. 20 June 1752

father-in-law made a reckoning with me 66 guldens say 66 R. Gerhart Clemens, January 1704.

1704, the 24th ---, I gave my son-in-law Gerhart Clemens, in money 5 R, say 5 guldens. On New Years day, 1705, I gave Gerhart Clemens 5 R.

1704 the 2 February, I, Hans Stauffer, gave my son-in-law Gerhart Clemens at Lower Pforstheim 12 Rir money. [Pforstheim, a town of Baden, one of the four territories which constituted the Lower Palatinate, located north of Switzerland and east of Alsace-Lorraine.]

I, Hans Stauffer, gave my son-in-law, Gerhart Clemens, the horse and enough money to make 66 R, 1705. I, Hans Stauffer, gave my son-in-law in addition to the horse, 10 R, say 19 guldens. 1705 the 19 September, I gave my son-in-law 4 guldens.

Anno 1705 on Christmas day, I, Hans Stauffer gave my son-in-law, Gerhart Clemens in money 3 R. I, Hans Stauffer gave my son-in-law 3 malters of oats the 10 March 1706....I, Hans Stauffer gave my son-in-law 2 R the 27 July 1706."

(Some of the above extracts from Hans Stauffer's Notebooks, with additional ones, are contained in this same reference, Vol. x, No. 3, July 1932, Whole No. 38, pages 97, 98, and 99.)

GERHART¹⁴ CLEMENS, called GARRET (Johannes³, Gerhart², Jacob¹), was born in Lower Salford Twp., Philadelphia Co., Pa., 29 August 1737; died at his home in Horsham Twp., Montgomery Co., Pa., 5 Jan. 1799. He married, 11 Nov. 1760, Gertraut(Gertrude) Stauffer, also called Keturah, daughter of Christian and Elizabeth Stauffer, a Mennonite farmer who had purchased land and settled in Salford Township in 1728.

Keturah was born in 1742 and died at the home of her daughter, Anna (Mrs. Thomas Rutter) in Philadelphia in 1825. Both Garret and Keturah are buried in Germantown, Pa., in the Dunkard Burying Ground near the church of which their son-in-law, the Rev. Peter Keyser was pastor. Keturah's granddaughter, Harriet(Mrs. Robert Eastman of Mount Clemens, Michigan), when a child of five years, remembered her grandmother installed in a high four-poster bed; the grandmother spoke not a word of English and she therefore could not understand a word of the conversation which passed between her mother and her grandmother.

Garret Clemens was a Mennonite farmer of the Dunkard faith and because of his conscientious scruples against bearing arms was, it is stated by family tradition, fined several times by the authorities for not taking part against England in the Revolutionary War.

His name is recorded on the "Effective Supply Tax" of the County of Philadelphia, Horsham Township (as were other Clemens men in both Lower Salford and Gwynedd townships). The "Effective Supply Tax", "... being the monthly quota... agreeable to the Directions of an Act of General Assembly for funding and redeeming the Bills of Credit of the United States of America and for providing Means to bring the present War to an happy Conclusion: passed in Philadelphia the first day of June, 1780." "Assessed the 24th of November, 1780."

In a township tabulation, "Horsham Men of the Revolution", Garret Clemens is listed: "Private, 1st Class, Lower Gwynedd, 1777-1780. Paid full muster and substitute fines. Owned Nesbitt property on Welsh Road above Tennis Ave."

The farm of Garret Clemens of 136 acres lay in Horsham Township. His large two-story stone house stood on the west side of the New Welsh Road on the eastern edge of Gwynedd Township a few rods north of the Plymouth Turnpike and near the junction of Gwynedd, Upper Dublin, and Horsham townships. "It was long unoccupied and attracted the attention of passing travellers." It was finally pulled down about 1887 to furnish stone for the home of William Atkinson, the editor of the Farm Journal. This house stands opposite the Three Tuns Inn and about two miles distant from the Clemens home site. A part of the foundation and cellar of the old Garret Clemens house where Christian Clemens, founder of Mount Clemens, Michigan, was born remained at the time of a visit to the spot in 1925.

Children of Garret and Keturah (Stauffer) Clemens, births taken from the family Bible:

- i Elizabeth, b. 26 Dec. 1761; d. Dec. 1819 at Baltimore, Maryland; m. Dirck Keyser of Baltimore.
- ii Johannes, b. 3 Feb. 1764; d. 6 March 1820 at Germantown, Pa.; m. Catherine ----. They had a daughter,
 1. Rachel Clemens, b. 1797; d. 1811.
- iii Mary Clementine, b. 25 March 1766; d. Sept. 1798, ae 33 yrs; m. Charles Hubbs of Philadelphia. He was b. 1765; d. 1798. They had a dau.,
 1. Sarah Hubbs, b. 1805; d. 1875; m. John W. Boyer.
- iv CHRISTIAN, b. 31 Jan. 1768.
- v Catherine, b. 14 May 1770; d. 6 June 1854; m. Rev. Peter Keyser, b. 9 Nov. 1766; d. 21 May 1849, son of Peter and Mary Keyser. He was pastor of the Dunkard Church on Germantown Ave., Germantown, Pa., for fifty years. His home, a three-story dressed stone structure with a mansard roof was long one of the historic spots in every guide-book of Germantown. It occupied a property at 6205 Germantown Ave., the house fronting on the street, the grounds extending back, together with an ample side yard, for some 800 feet. This is as it was in 1902 with large cypress trees and outbuildings including the pastor's study. Far in the rear was a tannery in use in his father's time. On the north line was a board fence which was in the thick of the Battle of Germantown as evidenced by the numerous bullet holes which pierced it. Sometime after 1903 the family was obliged to take down what remained of the fence and it was stored in the attic of the house since it was being gradually demolished by souvenir

- hunters. Mrs. Julia Law Case of Mount Clemens tells of taking a treasured piece of this old fence to school one day to exhibit as a family relic of the Revolutionary War--and she lost it! For the twelve children of Peter and Catherine (Clemens) Keyser, see The Keyser Family, Descendants of Dirck Keyser of Amsterdam, 1889, by Charles S. Keyser, p. 132.
- vi Jacob, b. 26 June 1772; d. 1853; m. (1) Hannah Stoneburner; (2) Sarah Ann Woodrough (Woodrow). Jacob accompanied his brother, Christian, to Detroit in 1795 where he bought some town lots and a tract of land along the Rouge River. In 1805, he returned to Germantown, Pa. He had two sons:
 1. George Stoneburner Clemens, b. 1808; d. 1844; m. Amanda ---.
 2. Charles Woodrow Clemens, b. 1809; d. 1883.
(Although George S. Clemens had one son, Benjamin D. Clemens, b. 1842; d. 1867 at Germantown and Charles W. Clemens of Pottsville had seven sons, by 1929 there was but one living male descendant of this line.)
 - vii Rachel, b. 27 Nov. 1774; m. George Gorgas of Philadelphia. They had a daughter,
 1. Rachel Gorgas who died 5 May 1899; m. Washington Fidler.
 - viii Hannah, b. 15 Nov. 1776; d. 18 March 1778.
 - ix Abraham, b. 22 June 1779; m. ca 1812 in Ohio, Catherine Hartsough. Abraham was a farmer near Upper Sandusky, Ohio. This couple had five children of whom only two left descendants.
 1. Elizabeth Ross Clemens, b. 23 Sept. 1818; m. James Purvis; they had two sons, Albanis and Ernest Purvis.
 2. Alfred Clinton Clemens, b. 11 Jan. 1820; m. 1843, Nancy Radebaugh. They had ten children. Alfred Chase Clemens and Thaddeus Flavius Clemens (b. 27 June 1863), the two youngest children presented the Johannes Clemens' family Bible to the Burton Historical Collection as mentioned above. Another son, Dr. Gerrit Smith Clemens, b. 31 Dec. 1857; d. ca 1926, was a dentist in Joplin, Missouri. He had no issue.
 - x Joseph, b. 30 July 1781; d. 18 Nov. 1782
 - xi Sarah, b. 20 Nov. 1783; d. 1812 at Germantown, Pa.; m. John Stitcher of Germantown. They had two daughters.
 - xii Anna, b. 30 July 1786; d. 1871 at Mount Clemens, Mich.; m. 30 May 1808, Capt. Thomas Rutter, son of Jonathan and Martha (Longville) Rutter of Baltimore, Maryland. After their marriage, they made their home in Philadelphia. Thomas Rutter served on the Lakes in the War of 1812 as a sailing master. He was taken prisoner by the British and served a term in a British prison in England. He became captain of a merchant vessel and died of a fever while in harbor on the coast of Liberia, Africa, 5 July 1829. In 1838, Judge Christian Clemens brought his sister and her family to Mount Clemens, Michigan where the Rutter family associated with the social and civic life of the community.
Children of Capt. Thomas and Anna (Clemens) Rutter:
 1. Adeline Rutter, b. 12 April 1809; d. 1882; m. John James, as his 4th wife. No issue. John James was the 2nd husband of Keturah C. Rutter.
 2. Sarah Stitcher Rutter, b. 5 June 1812; d. 1834 of cholera; m. Dr. Webb.
 3. Thomas Jefferson Rutter, b. 16 Nov. 1814; d. 1896; m. Celia Cady; lived in Romeo, Mich. They had children: Horace, Emma, and Rebecca.
 4. Harriet M. Rutter, b. 14 Feb. 1818; d. 1904; m. Robert Forsythe Eastman, b. 22 Oct. 1811, son of Orramus W. B. Eastman. Robert was a merchant in Mount Clemens in the firm of Eastman & Gallup. They had children: Frederick R., Arthur L., Fannie, and Julia.
 5. Frances Beatrice Rutter, b. 11 Feb. 1820; d. 10 Dec. 1820, Germantown, Pa.
 6. Keturah Clemens Rutter, b. 17 Oct. 1821; m. (1) Amos Dalby, first Registrar of Deeds at Mount Clemens. He died of tuberculosis. They had children: Sarah and Louise Dalby. Keturah m. (2) John James, as his third wife. He later married her sister, Adeline.
 7. William Lorman Rutter, b. 24 Aug. 1823 in Philadelphia; m. Emma Campbell. They had children: Harry and Fred Rutter.
 8. Julia Goddard Rutter, b. 28 Jan. 1826; d. 1880; m. Horace Dickinson of Ypsilanti, Mich. They had a son, Edward Dickinson.
 9. Henry Longville Rutter, b. 29 July 1828; d. 1887; m. --- ---. They had a son, Horace Rutter.
 - xiii Hannah, b. 27 Dec. 1788; m. Clement Bringham of Philadelphia, Pa.

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To be continued

A JOSEPH SMITH FAMILY RECORD

Contributed by Mrs. Irma T. Ireland, Washington, D.C.

Mrs. Hazel Brown, Fenton, Michigan, a collector of antiques, picked this up to preserve it. She entrusted it to me on my promise to turn it over to the Editor of The Detroit Society for Genealogical Research Magazine. The Smiths named herein are not in my mother's Smith lineage, but the given names suggest that while their Smith immigrant ancestor could be my Christopher Smith immigrant ancestor, who appeared at Dedham, Mass., about 1638 on probation, was allowed to own land there in 1640 and to join the church in 1642; married Mrs. Mary (Farbanke) Metcalf in 1654, died in 1676. Had a son, John born 1655 who died about 1722 in Needham, Mass. (See 7:807-9 Comp. of Am. Genealogy, 1942).

I recognize names that are common in other lineages which diverge from my Christopher Smith and his only son John. Yet this may turn out to have an entirely different immigrant ancestor. Other than as shown above, I can contribute nothing toward identifying the persons covered by this record. Signed, Mark L. Ireland, Member DSCR, 5023 Worthington Dr., Washington 16, D. C.

Pages cut from an old Bible or other book:

A Memorandum of the age and Death of Joseph Smith and his wife Zipporah Smith

Zipporah Smith died October 19th 1783 in the 53 year of her age

Joseph Smith " January 9th 1784 in the 54 year of his age

Polley Smith " February 8th 1798 - She when deceased was the wife of

Capt. John Dorned of Canaan, State of New York

A record of the age and berth of Jos. and Zipporah Smith Children (sic)

Daniel Smith	Born	7 Oct	1753
Joseph Smith, Jr.	"	6 July	1755
Walter Smith	"	28 Nov	1757
Lemuel Smith	"	4 May	1760
Amey Smith	"	27 June	1762
Susannah Smith	"	17 Nov	1764
Thomas Smith	"	18 Nov	1767
Zipporah Smith	"	12 Dec	1771
Polley Smith	"	9 Dec	1774

A Memorandum of Marriage and Births

Joseph Smith married Hanah Hewit 26 Jan 1783

Hanah was 23 years old 22 Dec 1783

Joseph Smith, Jr.	Born	20 Apr	1784
Harry Smith	"	25 May	1788
Chary Smith	"	8 May	1790
Nathan Smith	"	5 Apr	1792
Nancy Smith	"	19 Mar	1794
Giles Smith	"	2 Dec	1797
Jose(?) Smith	"	14 Feb	1799

On the back of a half page is this incomplete record, "A bil of Receipts got and Debts Paid that Was Against the State of Lieut Jos Smith late of Honington deseast." Persons named were: Mr. Ponderson, Elijah Snian(?), Doct Answorth, Doct Downer, John Prentice, Walter Smith, Amy Palmer, Daniel Denison, Doct Perkins, Clarck the Collector, George Palmer, and Jonathan Daniels.

WILLIAM SUTPHIN OF MIDDLESEX AND SOMERSET COUNTIES, NEW JERSEY AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDANTS

Compiled by Gerry Sutphin Harris, Battle Creek, Mich.

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FIFTH GENERATION

5. WILLIAM HENRY⁵ SUTPHIN (John⁴, William³, Jacob², Dirck¹), b. Middlesex Co., New Jersey, 10 Nov. 1786; d. Chesterfield Twp., Macomb Co., Mich., 14 Feb. 1867; buried in Hart Cemetery, Chesterfield, Michigan. He married Anna Bodine. Her parentage has not been proved but she probably came from an old New Jersey Dutch family. A statement of family tradition is that she is said to have spoken only Dutch until she was ten years of age.

In 1844, William and Anna Sutphin were living in Mt. Morris, Livingston Co., N. Y., but in 1850 they removed, with their family of seven children, to Michigan and settled in Chesterfield Twp., Macomb County. He was a farmer and owned a farm in Chesterfield.

Children of William Henry and Anna (Bodine) Sutphin:

- 1 John, b. ca 1 Oct. 1822; d. 25 Apr. 1860; bur. Hart Cemetery, Macomb County.
- ii Eleanor, b. Livingston Co., N. Y., 9 July 1827; d. Macomb Co., Mich., 18 Feb. 1907; m. prob. Livingston Co., N. Y., 24 Feb. 1847, Isaac Devinney, b. Mt. Morris, N. Y., 29 Apr. 1813; d. Macomb Co., Mich., 17 Nov. 1898, son of Richard and Elizabeth (Bodine) Devinney of Mt. Morris, New York. The Devinney (Davenne) families were also of Dutch descent. Eleanor and Isaac Devinney moved to Michigan in 1850 with her father's family and settled in Chesterfield Twp., Macomb County, where Isaac was a farmer. Eleanor is buried in Hart Cemetery, Macomb County.

Children of Isaac and Eleanor (Sutphin) Devinney, all born in Macomb County:

 1. Harmon W. Devinney, b. 9 Dec. 1851; d. 7 Feb. 1852; bur. Hart Cemetery.
 2. Myron Devinney, b. 17 June 1855; d. 19 May 1925; bur. Hart Cemetery; m. Florence Eva Forton. Myron was a farmer and also served as a Justice of the Peace in Chesterfield Township for 32 years. He was a member of the Congregational Church in the community. There were eight children born to this union: Grace, Ona, Frederick, Francis, Dorr, Dorris, Noel, and Nellie.
 3. Elias Devinney, b. 2 May 1857; d. Kearney, Nebr., 3 Mar. 1939; m. in Prairie Center, Nebr., 14 Mar. 1883, Emeline Lott, b. Clayville, N. Y., 11 Oct. 1860; d. 24 Oct. 1941. Elias was a farmer. To this union, one child, Anna, was born.
 4. Henry Devinney, b. 16 Mar. 1860; d. Macomb Co., Mich., 16 Mar. 1934; m. Lily Maude Hart. There were three children: Elbert, Kenneth, and Neil.
 5. Willie Devinney, b. 5 May 1865; d. 24 May 1865.
 6. Hattie Devinney, b. 1 June 1867; d. of diphtheria, 5 Dec. 1889.
- iii Marinda, full name was Hannah Marinda, b. Livingston Co., N. Y. in 1829; d. Macomb Co., Mich., 1907; m. Macomb Co., Mich., 18 Nov. 1851, Eben Carl, b. Sodus, Wayne Co., N. Y. in 1830; d. 1891, son of Eben and Betsey (Green) Carl. He moved to New Haven, Macomb Co., Michigan, with his father, in 1836. Eben and Marinda are both buried in the New Haven Cemetery.

Children of Eben and Marinda (Sutphin) Carl, all born in New Haven, Mich.:

 1. Madison Carl, b. 1853; d. 1894; m. Ida M. Black. There were three children: Harry, Irving, and Bennie.
 2. William C. Carl, twin, b. 1856; d. 1916; m. 1882, Anna L. Hunter. There were two children: Myrtle E., and Mortimer E.
 3. Wilbur Carl, twin, b. 1856; d. 1917; m. 1883, Mary E. Campbell. Issue.
- iv Jane Ann, b. in N. Y. State, probably Livingston County, in 1831; d. Macomb Co., Mich., 1895; m. Macomb Co., Mich., 22 Sept. 1852, Jeremiah Carl of New Haven, Mich., b. Sodus, Wayne Co., N. Y., 1831; d. Macomb Co., Mich., 1896; son of Eben and Betsey (Green) Carl. Jeremiah Carl came to New Haven with his father in 1836. Jane Ann and Jeremiah are buried in the New Haven Cemetery.

Children of Jeremiah and Jane Ann (Sutphin) Carl, all b. Macomb County:

1. Laura Jane Carl, b. 1853; m. (1) 1889, Henry Seaman; m. (2) George H. Pelton, b. 1854. No issue.
2. Lansing Carl, b. 25 Jan. 1855; d. Macomb Co., Mich. 9 Aug. 1924; m. 1880, Eva F. Kimball. Both are buried in the New Haven Cemetery. There were two children: Ray D., and Lloyd K.
- v Sarah, b. 1834, probably Livingston Co., N. Y.
- vi Elizabeth L., b. in New York state, probably Livingston County, in 1837; m. Macomb Co., Mich., 1 Nov. 1858, Samuel C. Farr.
Children of Samuel C. and Elizabeth L. (Sutphin) Farr:
 1. Alice Farr; m. --- Sutherland. Issue.
 2. Lettie Farr; m. --- Herriman. Issue.
- 10 vii WILLIAM HENRY SUTPHIN, b. 12 July 1839.

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Personal records of Miss Anna Cawthorne, Riley Center, Michigan.
Personal records of Mrs. Annie Pratt, Kearney, Nebraska.

6. ISAAC⁵ SUTPHIN (John⁴, William³, Jacob², Dirck¹), b. Middlesex Co., N. J., 8 March 1792; bapt. in the First Presbyterian Church of Cranbury, N. J. on the 24 June 1792; the ceremony performed by the distinguished clergyman, the Rev. Doctor John Witherspoon who was president of Princeton University and was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Isaac married Abigail Edgett who was born in New York state and resided near Lyons, Wayne Co., New York. Isaac was a farmer. He died 21 Apr. 1855 and Abigail died, 3 Feb. 1873.

Children of Isaac and Abigail (Edgett) Sutphin, all born near Lyons, Wayne Co., N. Y.:

- 11 i NELSON, b. 7 May 1827.
- ii Betsey Ann, b. ca 1829; d. 16 June 1912; m. Smith Soper.
- iii Isaac Madison, b. 1830; never married. He was a carpenter.
- iv Eliza Jane, b. 24 Apr. 1836; d. New Haven, Macomb Co., Mich., 5 March 1914; m. Ira S. Carl, b. 1839, son of George Washington and Eliza (Hall) Carl of New Haven. They resided on a farm in the New Haven area. They are buried in the New Haven Cemetery.
Children of Ira S. and Eliza Jane (Sutphin) Carl, all b. Macomb Co., Mich:
 1. Kittie Carl, b. 1862; m. 1887, Frank McIntyre; one child, Carrie.
 2. Grant Carl, b. 1864.
 3. George Carl, b. 1867.
- v Sarah Maria, b. 5 Apr. 1839; d. St. Clair Co., Mich., 26 July 1934; m. Lyons, Wayne Co., N. Y., 28 June 1859, John Cawthorne. They were married by the Rev. Philip D. Dennler, the Evangelical Lutheran Pastor of Lyons. Sarah was a member of the Lyons Bible Society and in 1851 was presented a Holy Bible which is still in possession of the family. Sarah and John Cawthorne moved to Michigan about 1861 and settled in Riley Twp., St. Clair County. John was b. 16 Oct. 1829 in England and was a farmer. He d. St. Clair Co., Mich., 18 Oct. 1911. Both are buried in the East Berlin Cemetery.
Children of John and Sarah Maria (Sutphin) Cawthorne:
 1. William Isaac Cawthorne, b. Wayne Co., N. Y., 5 Aug. 1860; d. St. Clair Co., Mich., 24 June 1955; m. Ada Kimball, b. 31 Mar. 1864; d. 11 Aug 1941. They lived in Berville, Michigan; were members of the Methodist Church in Berville; two children: Nellie M. and Hazel E.
 2. Elias John Cawthorne, b. St. Clair Co., Mich., 19 Aug. 1863; d. 1871.
 3. Charles Henry Cawthorne, b. 19 Jan. 1871; d. 5 Feb. 1949; unmarried.
 4. Anna M. Cawthorne, b. 18 Jan. 1875; resides near Riley Center, Mich.

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7. ELIAS⁵ SUTPHIN (John⁴, William³, Jacob², Dirck¹), b. Middlesex Co., N. J., 4 March 1798; d. Lenox, Macomb Co., Mich. 6 June 1874. He went to New York state with his parents and later married Margaret Lemmon, b. in New York state; d. before 1874.

Between 1834 and 1840, he removed to Michigan and settled near New Haven in Lenox Twp., Macomb County. Elias was a farmer and in 1850 his land was valued at \$1,000. During the years of 1851 and 1855, he served two terms as a Justice of the Peace in Lenox Township.

Children of Elias and Margaret (Lemmon) Sutphin:

- 12 1 JAMES SUTPHEN, b. Sept. 1827.
 - ii Sarah Ann, b. Lyons, Wayne Co., N. Y., ca 1830; m. Spencer Briggs, b. New York state in 1828. Both were living with her parents in Macomb County, Michigan in 1850. Later Spencer and Sarah Briggs removed to Kent County, Michigan and settled in Solon Township where he was a farmer. Several branches of the Sutphin family lived within short distances of one another in this area. It is likely that there were other children, but the known children of Spencer and Sarah Ann (Sutphin) Briggs were:
 1. Spencer Briggs, Jr., b. in Michigan. Issue.
 2. Charles E. Briggs, b. ca 1851; m. Sarah E. ---, b. ca 1859. Issue.
 3. Elias B. Briggs, b. ca 1857; m. Maria M. ---, b. ca 1858.
 - iii Mary Jane, b. Lyons, Wayne Co., N. Y., ca 1834. She removed to Michigan with her parents and lived on the family farm near New Haven. She m. Calvin Pease. Calvin and Mary Jane (Sutphin) Pease had one child:
 1. Emma Pease, b. in Michigan; m. Chester Fenton. Their children were: Mable, Bell, Allen, and Newton.
 - iv Harriet, b. probably, Macomb Co., Mich., ca 1840; m. Richard Trevidick. They later lived at Saginaw, Michigan. Richard and Harriet (Sutphin) Trevidick had three children:
 1. Leslie Trevidick.
 2. Alice Trevidick.
 3. Melvin Trevidick.
 - v Elijah, b. probably, Macomb Co., Mich., ca 1841; d. Macomb Co., Mich. in 1866. He married, at New Baltimore, Macomb Co., Mich., 20 Dec. 1865, Mary J. Gibson of Lenox, b. ca 1846. Elijah is buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Chesterfield Twp., Macomb Co., Mich. He had served as Lenox Township Treasurer in 1866. It is unknown whether there was issue.
- 13 vi ELIAS, b. 1843.
- vii Elizabeth, b. probably, in Macomb Co., Michigan.

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8. JOHN⁵ SUTPHIN (John⁴, William³, Jacob², Dirck¹), twin, was b. New York state, 20 June 1803. He was married to Clarissa Sumner at White Lake, Oakland Co., Mich., 21 May 1841, by Justice of the Peace, Ferguson. James Stout, his brother-in-law, and Seymour Covell were witnesses. Clarissa was b. in New York state, 20 Oct. 1814 but was living in Rose Twp., Oakland Co., Mich. at the time of her marriage. She died, Oakland Co., Mich., 1 Mar. 1853, and John married 2nd, Julia ---. John died Oakland Co., Mich., 7 Nov. 1854, and is buried next to Clarissa in the White Lake Cemetery, Oakland County.

John moved to Michigan by 1839 as he was listed on the Tax Roll in that year. In 1840, he was taxed on 30 acres of land in Springfield Twp., Oakland County. Later he owned a farm of 160 acres in Springfield Township near Big Lake, Michigan, located in parts of Sections 29, 32, and 36. This land was originally taken up by D. Arthur from the government, and he in turn deeded it to George W. Sumner by Warranty Deed on 13 Oct. 1841. George W. Sumner may have been the father of Clarissa, as he afterwards deeded the land to John Sutphin. This farm was still later owned and operated for many years by Nelson Sutphin, a nephew of John. The land was rolling and hilly, and located in a remote and rugged section of Springfield Township.

The inventory of John's estate, taken in 1855, listed several horses, 3 milk cows, 1 pair of 2-year old bulls, 1 calf, and 37 sheep. The sheep were valued at \$1.38 per head and the wool was priced at 18¢ per pound. John raised wheat and livestock. His real and personal estate was valued at \$4500.

Probate Judge Michael E. Crofoot, judge of the Probate Court of Oakland County, Michigan, appointed James Stout, a brother-in-law of John Sutphin, administrator of John's estate and guardian of his six minor children. James Stout died, 12 Dec. 1856, before settling the estate and Sebring Voorhies, a friend of the family, was appointed the new administrator and legal guardian of the three youngest children, James, Lavina, and Clarissa Jane. The children were taken into the homes of relatives.

Children of John and Clarissa (Sumner) Sutphin, all b. Springfield Twp., Oakland Co., Mich:

- 14 i WILLIAM HARVEY, b. 22 Dec. 1842.
- ii Ruth Ann, b. ca 1845; m. Albert G. Rose, b. New York state ca 1840. Albert was a brother of Elmer Rose who married Ruth Ann's sister, Sarah Sutphin. Albert was a farmer and the couple lived in Solon Twp., Kent Co., Michigan.
Children of Albert G. and Ruth Ann (Sutphin) Rose:
 1. Franklin C. Rose, b. Michigan, ca 1873.
 2. Claude Rose, b. Michigan Sept. 1879.
 3. Clyde M. Rose, b. Michigan, 7 Sept. 1883; d. 23 May 1885; buried Solon Cemetery, Kent County, Michigan.
- iii Sarah Maria, b. 1 Jan. 1847; d. Kent Co., Mich., 10 Jan. 1911; m. at New Haven, Macomb Co., Mich., 1868, Elmer Spaulding Rose--brother of Albert Rose, above. Elmer Rose was b. 14 Jan. 1844; d. Kent Co., Mich., 19 Nov. 1916. Elmer and Sarah are both buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Kent County, Michigan. Sarah lost her mother at the age of six years and her father a year later. She lived on the farm of her uncle, James Stout, and later lived in New Haven. Children of Elmer and Sarah Maria (Sutphin) Rose, all b. Kent Co., Mich.:
 1. Edith May Rose, b. Solon Twp., Nov. 1872; m. Raymond Joseph Thompson. One male child was born who died at birth. Edith died, Sept. 1902, at Cedar Springs during childbirth. Bur. Elmwood Cemetery.
 2. Myrtle Beulah Rose, b. Solon Twp., 27 Feb. 1890; m. Grand Rapids, Mich. 8 June 1921, Howard Dykema. Their children are: Robert E. Dykema and Howard A. Dykema.
- 15 iv JAMES NELSON, b. ca 1848.
- v Mary A., b. 1850; d. in infancy.
- vi Lavina, b. ca 1851; m. Martin Corwin.
Children of Martin and Lavina (Sutphin) Corwin:
 1. Grace Corwin; res. Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
 2. Edward Corwin; lived at Ontonagon, Mich.; removed to Milwaukee, Wisc.
 3. Ruby Corwin, m. Leroy Wise; res. Milwaukee, Wisc.; one daughter.
- vii Clarissa Jane, b. ca 1852/53; m. (1) ---Tower; one child; and m. (2) Lacount Smith; had one son, Ernest Smith.

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 Personal records of Mrs. Gerry C. Harris, Highland Park, Michigan.

9. PETER⁵ SUTPHIN (John⁴, William³, Jacob², Dirck¹), twin, B. New York state, 17 Apr. 1805; d. Wayne Co., N. Y., 2 Dec. 1863; m. Sally M. Bloomer; d. Wayne Co., N. Y., 10 Oct. 1889.
 According to the U. S. Census of 1850, Sally Bloomer was b. ca 1802, but the tombstone inscription for her in the South Sodus Cemetery, Wayne Co., N. Y., reads 1810. Peter lived near Lyons, New York and was a farmer. He and Sally were Members of the First Presbyterian Church of Lyons, recorded 14 May 1843. Both are buried in the South Sodus Cemetery.

Children of Peter and Sally M. (Bloomer) Sutphin, all b. near Lyons, Wayne Co., N. Y.:

- i Susan A., b. 1832; d. 1904; m. Oakland Co., Mich., 16 Dec. 1854, Charles Briggs. They settled in Solon Twp., Kent County. Bur. Elmwood Cemetery, Kent County. There were probably several children, but only one is known.
 Child of Charles and Susan A. (Sutphin) Briggs:
 1. Schylar Briggs, b. at Cedar Springs, Kent Co., Mich., 3 Aug. 1870.
- ii Sarah, b. ca 1834; m. --- Sherman; bur. Rochester, New York.
- iii John, b. 17 Oct. 1836; d. 10 Nov. 1898; bur. South Sodus Cem., Wayne Co., N. Y.
- iv Benjamin B., b. ca 1839; removed to Michigan and settled in Allegan County; d. 1920 and bur. in Oakwood Cemetery, Allegan, Michigan. He was a veteran of the Civil War having served in the Union Army. He m. (1) Allegan, Mich., 13 Oct. 1869, Lois E. Askins, b. Mich., 1845; d. 1870; and m. (2) Charlotte E. ---, b. 1847; d. 1936. Allegan records show that Benjamin served as a fireman with the Hook and Ladder Company. In 1880, the U. S. Census records his occupation as "produce buyer". There may have been children.
- v William H., b. 1841; d. 1910; m. Martha Osborne, b. 1835, dau. of Francis and Martha (Cowan) Osborne. William purchased a home in Rose, N. Y. and was living there in 1874; removed to Allegan Co., Mich., and was living there in 1893. This couple later returned to Rose, N. Y. where both died in 1910 and are bur. in Rose Cemetery, Wayne Co., N. Y. There may have been children.
- 16 vi PETER, b. 1843.
- 17 vii JAMES NELSON, b. 8 Oct. 1845.
- viii Charles P. Sutphin, b. 18 Feb. 1851; d. 8 Nov. 1864; bur. South Sodus Cemetery, Wayne Co., New York.

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JOSEPH W. WITHINGTON'S FAMILY BIBLE

Contributed by Mrs. Ava E. Bell, Bellingham, Wash.

The family Bible of Joseph W. Withington and his wife, Mary Hackett, was published in 1811 by William Woodward, Corner of Second and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; William Brown, Printer (Church Alley). It is now in the possession of one of his descendants, Mrs. Miles Standish Cone of Lansing, Michigan. Although family births, marriages and deaths have been recorded in this Bible up to the present time, only those records of individuals born prior to 1900 are included here.

MARRIAGES

Joseph W. Withington and Mary Hackett	16 May 1832
Ellen Amelia and --- Parks	26 Nov. 1857
William Dexter Withington and Mara Ingalls	1 Feb. 1866
Norris J. Withington & Mary Dunlap	28 June 1870
Lawson R. Withington & Julia Bushnell	3 Dec. 1885
Flora Louise Withington & Stephen Voorhees Miller	- - 1893
Mary Ellen Withington & Mark M. Smith	- - 1896
Jack Wesly Miller & Gertrude Houghton	6 Mar. 1918
Jack married 2nd Vera May Trumbull	29 Dec. 1934
Gertrude Violet Miller & Miles Standish Cone	23 Mar. 1921

BIRTHS

Joseph W. Withington	born	19 July 1811
Mary M. Hackett	"	5 Apr. 1812
Ellen Amelia Withington	"	9 Feb. 1833

William Dexter Withington	born	22 Feb. 1835
Sidney Augustus Withington	"	2 Apr. 1838
Norris J. Withington	"	24 June 1840
Lawson R. Withington	"	9 Nov. 1849

Children of William Dexter Withington
and Marie Ingalls:
Minnie M. Withington born 1867
Mary Ellen Withington " 1869
Flora Louise Withington " 1871

Children of Lawson R. Withington
and Julia Bushnell:
Julia Bushnell Withington (no dates)
Sterling Withington "
Jay Withington "

Children of Ellen Withington
and Mark M. Smith:
Marian Withington (Smith), b. 1898

Children of Flora Louise Withington
and Stephen Voorhees Miller:
Gerald Withington Miller born 10 June 1896
Gertrude Violet Miller " 28 July 1899

DEATHS

Ellen Amelia Parks	died	4 Apr. 1864
Joseph Withington	"	31 Dec. 1865
Minnie, daughter of Wm. Dexter Withington	"	- - 1867
William Dexter Withington	"	- - 1877

Minnie M. Withington	died	- - 1887
Mary M. Withington	"	26 Dec. 1888
Flora Louise Withington	"	24 Mar. 1934
Stephen Voorhees Miller	"	16 Mar. 1935
Mary Ellen Withington	"	- - 1956

REVOLUTIONARY RECORD OF SAMUEL CHURCH, AMHERST, MASS.

By Frederick C. Warner, North Amherst, Mass.

Samuel Church, Private, in Capt. Noadiah Leonard's company, Col. Benjamin Ruggles (25th) Rgt.; receipt for advance pay, dated, Cambridge, June 24, 1775; private, same company and regiment, on muster roll dated August 1, 1775; enlisted May 2, 1775, service three months, seven days; company return (probably October 1775); order for bounty coat or its equivalent in money dated Prospect Hill, October 25, 1775; in Capt. Reuben Dickinson's company list of men on credit (year not given), service nine months, one week.

THE MILLARDS OF REHOBOTH, MASSACHUSETTS

By Frances Davis McTeer of Detroit, Mich. and
Frederick C. Warner of North Amherst, Mass.

PART VI, Continued from v. 24, p. 22, Fall 1960

26. EPHRAIM (4) MILLARD (Ephraim-3, Robert-2, John-1), b. at Rehoboth, Mass., 3 Feb. 1702/3, living there on 18 March 1790; m. (1) at Rehoboth, 24 Jan. 1724/5, PATIENCE LEE, who d. there 2 July 1766. He m. (2) at Rehoboth, 25 Dec. 1766, MARTHA CASWELL, who was living there on 12 Jan. 1790.

Ephraim Millard spent his whole life as a farmer at Rehoboth. On 4 May 1733, Jonathan Ormsby Jr. deeded to Ephraim Millard Jr. of Rehoboth, 18 acres on the west side and partly in Brooks Swamp; and on 19 April 1743 David Bowen deeded to Ephraim Millard Jr. of Rehoboth, husbandman, five and one half acres on Chestnut Hill near the home of Ephraim Jr., bounded easterly by Ephraim Millard (#10) and westerly by land sold this day to Daniel Millard (#27). (Bristol Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 51, pp. 342, 343)

In December 1731, Ephraim Millard, his wife Patience, and their children Peter, Ebenezer, and Experience were baptised in the Congregational Church at Rehoboth. Ephraim Jr. was baptised there soon after his birth the following June. (Records of the Congregational Church at Rehoboth)

On 1 April 1788, Ephraim and Martha Miller of Rehoboth conveyed to Ezekial Carpenter, seven acres from the north part of their homelot; and on 12 Jan. 1790 Ephraim and Martha Miller (both made marks) sold to Barack Bullock eight acres in Rehoboth where Ephraim now dwells, with buildings. Acknowledged by Ephraim on 18 March 1790. (Ibid., Vol. 69, pp. 297, 185)

In the Federal Census of 1790 Ephraim Miller was listed as a resident of Rehoboth, with a household of one male over 16 years and two females.

Ephraim Millard and his first wife, Patience Lee, had five children, born at Rehoboth:

- 67 i. PETER, b. 6 Aug. 1725.
- ii. Ephraim, b. 22 Feb. 1727/8, d. at Rehoboth, 22 Nov. 1728.
- 68 iii. EBENEZER, b. 23 Jan. 1729/0.
- iv. Experience, b. 25 Feb. 1730/1, d. at Freetown, Mass., January 1756 in her 25th yr.; m. at Rehoboth, 7 Feb. 1755, Jeremiah Simmons. ("Inscriptions from Freetown, Mass." in NEHC Register, Vol. 10, 1856, p. 53)
- v. Ephraim, b. 14 June, d. 30 June 1732.

27. DANIEL (4) MILLER (Ephraim-3, Robert-2, John-1), b. at Rehoboth, Mass., 15 July 1713, d. in Cumberland, R.I., 25 Jan. 1798; m. at Rehoboth, 7 Sept. 1735, HANNAH THAYER, b. 1710, d. in Cumberland, 14 Jan. 1788 in her 78th year, daughter of Nathaniel and Rebecca (Briggs) Thayer. (For further information on Hannah's parents see under Nathaniel Millard #8.)

According to the inscription on his gravestone Elder Daniel Miller was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Cumberland, R.I. for over fifty years. (Peirce)

On 30 April 1752 Daniel and Hannah Millard of Rehoboth, "yeoman and spinster", sold to John Barney, two lots in Rehoboth, each on the westerly side of Palmer River, "one being my homestead" of 49 acres and the other, formerly, the land of "our honored father Ephraim Millard." Acknowledged by both at Providence, R.I. on 28 Sept. 1754. (Bristol Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 50, p. 261) It was about this time that Daniel moved his residence across the town line to Cumberland.

On 27 May 1787, Daniel Miller of Cumberland "for love" deeded land in Cumberland to his daughter Rebecca Williams. (Cumberland, R.I. Deeds, Vol. 8, p. 364) The will of Elder Daniel Miller, dated 27 May 1797, proved 26 Feb. 1798, bequeathed to son Daniel; to daughters, Judith Wicks, Lydia Barber, Hannah Doolittle, Huldith Miller and Sarah Carpenter; to granddaughter Ruba Thayer; to sons Josiah and Peter; to daughter Rebecca Williams; to grandson Jonathan Smith. Executor: Son Josiah Miller. (Cumberland, R.I. Probates, Vol. 7, p. 16, abstracted by Peirce)

Daniel Miller and Hannah Thayer had ten children, the first six recorded at Rehoboth:

- i. Rhoba, b. 2 July 1736, d. before 1768; m. before 1760, Jonathan Smith. Two children, born at Cumberland. He m.(2) at Cumberland, 7 Apr. 1768, Rebeckah Nichols of Rehoboth.
- 69 ii. DANIEL, b. 8 July 1738.
- iii. Judith, b. 8 July 1740; m. at Cumberland, 11 Nov. 1761, Richard Weak. Two children, born at Cumberland.
- iv. Lydia, b. 15 Mar. 1742; m. at Cumberland, 14 Dec. 1766, Joseph Barber.
- 70 v. JOSIAH, b. 15 Jan. 1744/5.
- 71 vi. PETER, b. 16 June 1745(sic).
- vii. Hannah, prob., m.(1) at Cumberland, 4 Aug. 1768, Thomas Barber, b. at Rehoboth, 30 Dec. 1742, son of Joseph and Esther Barber. One child, born at Rehoboth. She m.(2) before 1797, Amaziah Doolittle.
- viii. Huldith, b. ca. 1750, d. unmarried at Cumberland, 1 Mar. 1818. (Peirce)
- ix. Sarah, b. at Cumberland, 18 July 1754, d. there 22 Aug. 1798; m. there 27 Aug. 1775, Reuben Carpenter, b. in Attleboro, Mass., 22 Feb. 1757, d. 5 Oct. 1802, son of Elisha and Anna (Whitaker) Carpenter. He m. (2) 7 Apr. 1800, Hannah Cook, b. 10 Feb. 1761, d. 20 Mar. 1840. (Genealogical History of the Rehoboth Branch of the Carpenter Family, 1898, by Amos B. Carpenter, pp. 72, 108)
- x. Rebecca, m. --- Williams.

28. SAMUEL (4) MILLER (Samuel-3, John-2, John-1), b. in Rehoboth, Mass., 20 Dec. 1692, d. of smallpox in Milton, Mass., 4 Feb. 1761; m. in Boston, Mass., 8 Oct. 1724, REBECCA MINOT, b. there 6 Nov. 1697, d. at Braintree, Mass., 13 Jan. 1793 in her 97th year, daughter of Col. Stephen and Mercy (Clark) Minot. ("Minot Family", in NEHG Register, Vol. 1, p. 174)

Throughout his mature life Samuel Miller was a leading man in the affairs of the town of Milton. For nine years, between 1743 and 1756, he was Representative to the General Court; he was moderator of the annual town-meeting for thirteen years, and selectman for sixteen years. In addition he was a Justice of the Peace and was appointed to serve on numerous town committees. (History of the Town of Milton, Mass., 1887, by A. K. Teele, pp. 129, 205, 216, 222-4, 234, 283, 468)

In the town records he was designated successively as "Major Miller" in 1734 and as "Col. Miller" after 1738. In 1727 he joined the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston. His commission as Lieutenant-Colonel of the first troop of horse in the Province of Massachusetts Bay, dated 1736, is the oldest commission displayed in the Company's museum in Faneuil Hall.

In 1750, as "Samuel Miller Esqr.", he was listed among the taxpayers in the "West End of the Town", where he had his residence in the Blue Hill Tract at the point just northwest of the intersection of Randolph Avenue and Hillside Street -- about three quarters of a mile northwest of Chickatawbut Hill, on the site of today's No. 11 Hillside. (A History of Milton, 1957, by Edward P. Hamilton Jr., p. 230)

The will of Samuel Miller of Milton, Esquire, dated 3 July 1759, proved 27 March 1761, bequeathed to wife Rebecca her living, to be provided by sons Stephen and John "provided she quitclaim her one third rights in my estate"; to son Samuel, 100 acres with a house "on the west side of my upper farm in Milton"; to son Stephen, "the farm whereon I now dwell", partly in Braintree and partly in Milton, also woodlands in Braintree "near my new sawmill", other lands and two Negro men named Caesar and Berry; to son John, all other lands, also Negro man named Robin; to daughters Rebecca wife of Ebenezer Thayer, and Mehetable wife of Joseph Calif. Executors: Rev. Dr. Ebenezer Miller of Braintree, his brother, and sons Stephen and John Miller. The inventory of Samuel Miller's estate, filed 1 May 1761, totaled £5216.15.05, and he was conceded to be in his time the second richest man in Milton. (Suffolk Co., Mass. Probates, Vol. 58, pp. 293, 376)

Samuel Miller and Rebecca Minot had six children, born in Milton, Mass.:

- i. Samuel, b. 28 Nov. 1725, prob. d. at Milton, 22 Mar. 1776. (NEHG Register, Vol. 44, p. 45) On 7 Dec. 1761 Samuel Miller of Milton, gentleman, conveyed to Joseph Calef Jr. of Boston, merchant (his brother-in-law), two and one half acres with a

house and barn in Milton "which I purchased from my brother John Miller" (#73), Seth Smith now living in it. Not acknowledged. Filed 21 Feb. 1814. (Norfolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 47, p. 25. No probate found for this Samuel.

- 72 ii. STEPHEN, b. 1 May 1727.
 iii. Rebecca, b. 26 Sept. 1730, d. in Braintree, 3 Dec. 1784; m. int. Braintree, 18 Oct. 1755, as his second wife, Capt. Ebenezer Thayer, b. there 31 July 1721, d. 7 Feb. 1794. He m. (1) 3 Apr. 1746, Susanna Niles, b. in Braintree, 30 July 1719, d. there 9 May 1754. (Thayer Family, 1943, by Ruth Thayer Ravenscroft, Vol. I, Pt. 2, p. 44) On 13 Jan. 1759 Samuel Miller of Milton Esq. and his wife Rebecca for love gave to their son-in-law Ebenezer Thayer Jr. of Braintree and his wife Rebecca, 25 acres in Braintree. Witnesses: Stephen Miller (#72) and John Miller Jr. (#73) (Suffolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 92, p. 263)
- 73 iv. JOHN, bpt. at Milton, 22 Oct. 1732. (Milton Church Record)
 v. Mehitable, b. 27 Apr. 1735, d. in Milton, 30 Sept. 1790; m. there (int. Boston, 21 Sept. 1758) Joseph Calef Jr., bpt. at Boston, 8 Nov. 1724, d. at Milton, 31 May 1776, son of Joseph and Hannah (Jordan) Calef. (Calef Family, 1928, by William Wallace Lunt, p. 13) Nine children, born at Milton. On 24 Oct. 1758 Samuel Miller Esq. and wife Rebecca for love gave to their daughter Mehitable and her husband Joseph Calef, 40 1/2 acres in Milton. Witness: John Miller Jr. (#73). (Suffolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 92, p. 108)
- vi. Elizabeth, b. 20 June 1740, d. 27 Oct. 1740. (Braintree Church Record)

29. EBENEZER (4) MILLER (Samuel-3, John-2, John-1), b. at Milton, Mass., 20 June 1703, d. at Braintree, Mass., 11 Feb. 1763; m. at the Church of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, Westminster, England, 16 Nov. 1726, MARTHA MOTTRAM, who d. at Braintree, 28 Oct. 1755 in her 52nd year, daughter of Thomas Mottram of Addlethorp, Lincolnshire, England.

For more than thirty-five years Ebenezer Miller was rector of the Episcopal church in Braintree, Mass. After preparation under Rev. Peter Thacher of Milton, he graduated at Harvard College as Master of Arts in 1722, was ordained deacon in London, England in 1726 and priest in 1727. That same year he was made Master of Arts at Oxford and was licensed to preach in Massachusetts. Whereupon he was appointed chaplain to the Duke of Bolton and the first resident minister to Braintree. In 1747 he returned to England to receive the Doctor of Divinity degree at Oxford. (History of Milton, Mass., 1887, by A. K. Teele, pp. 130, 254, 355, 657; History of Milton, 1957, by Edward P. Hamilton, p. 256; Sibley's Harvard Graduates, Vol. 7, pp. 93-100; The Heraldic Journal, No. III, March 1865, pp. 39-42)

Dr. Miller was greatly devoted to his parish and was an able defender of the Episcopal form of worship. As such he was more royalist than many of his neighbors, and according to Sabine "the writing which his labors and decease produced are to be considered as a part of the Revolutionary dissension in Massachusetts. (History of Old Braintree and Quincy, 1878, by William S. Pattee, pp. 145-6, 247-254; Biographical Sketches of Loyalists of the American Revolution, 1864, by Lorenzo Sabine, Vol. 2, p. 80)

On 25 Oct. 1765 the estate of Rev. Ebenezer Miller, late of Braintree, was distributed among his five surviving children: Martha Vesey, Mary Vesey, Charles and Elizabeth Miller each received £ 223.09.11, while Ebenezer Miller as eldest son received a double share of £ 446.10.10. (Suffolk Co., Mass. Probates, Vol. 64, p. 508)

Ebenezer Miller and Martha Mottram had ten children, born at Braintree, Mass.:

- 74 i. Martha, b. 22 Oct. 1728; m. at Braintree, 17 July 1754, William Vesey.
 ii. EBENEZER, b. 31 July 1730.
 iii. Mary, b. 9 Apr. 1732, d. in Braintree, 17 Aug. 1732.
 iv. Mary, b. 21 May 1734; m. in Braintree, 21 June 1758, Ebenezer Vesey.
 v. Mottram, b. 24 Apr. 1736, d. in Braintree, 7 May 1736.
 vi. Samuel, b. 20 July 1737, d. 20 July 1758 aged 21 yrs., bur. Kings Chapel Cemetery, Boston, Mass. Harvard A. B. 1756.
 vii. Thomas, b. 27 Feb. 1738, d. 17 Jan. 1739/0.
 viii. Thomas, b. 21 Feb. 1740, d. 27 Sept. 1741.
 75 ix. CHARLES, b. 27 Sept. 1742.
 x. Elizabeth, b. 6 Aug. 1746; m. at Braintree, 27 Aug. 1766, Samuel Wallis of Boston.

30. JOSEPH (4) MILLER (Samuel-3, John-2, John-1), b. at Milton, Mass., 3 Jan. 1706, d. there before 7 Oct. 1756; m. int. Boston, Mass., 3 March 1728, ABIGAIL READ, who d. in Boston between 3 April 1761 and 29 Sept. 1767, daughter of John and Ruth (Talcott) Read of Boston.

The identity of Joseph Miller's wife is shown in an agreement made 7 Oct. 1756 by the following "children and heirs of John Read of Boston deceased", and mentioning their mother Ruth Read, widow: John Read of Fairfield, Conn.; Ruth Hunn widow of Fairfield; Charles Morris and wife Mary of Halifax, Nova Scotia; Abigail Miller widow of Milton, Mass.; William Read of Boston; Henry Paget and wife Deborah of Smithfield, R.I. (Families of Old Fairfield, 1930, by D. L. Jacobus, Vol. 1, pp. 500-1)

A large part of John Read's estate was "The Manour of Peace", a ten thousand acre tract comprising the whole western portion of the present town of Ware, Massachusetts. This land was divided among Read's children, and after the death of Abigail (Read) Miller her part was again subdivided in October 1769 to her heirs: William Sheppard and wife Deborah; William Miller; Joseph Miller, against whom William Miller, William Sheppard and Robert Pierpont obtained executions in 1771 and all his inheritance was sold; Abner Hunt; Hezekiah Read Miller; Nathaniel Vose; and John Miller. (The History of Ware, Mass., 1911, by Arthur Chase, pp. 22-32, 261-275; Bonsall)

Finally some further connections of Joseph Miller's wife are shown in the following deeds: On 27 Jan. 1781, whereas William Read Esq. of Boston (Abigail Read Miller's brother) died seized of three dwelling houses in Boston and land in Ware and Charlemont (Mass.) and in Reading, Fairfield Co., Conn., Hezekiah Read Miller of Dorchester, clothier, Abner Hunt and wife Abigail of Milton, Nathaniel Vose and wife Ruth of Milton, Deborah Legate of Leominster, and John Miller of Boston, housewright, heirs of sd estate, appointed Col. Thomas Legate of Leominster and Major William Miller, two other heirs of sd estate, as attorneys to sell sd estate. John Read Jr. and Deborah Paget of Reading, Conn. and Charles Morris Esq. of Halifax, N. S. and wife Mary also named the same attorneys for this estate. Then on 1 Feb. 1782 Thomas and Deborah Legate of Leominster and William Miller as attorneys sold to John Hancock their rights in a mansion house and land in Court St., being property of Hon. William Read Esq. of Boston deceased. (Suffolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 132, p. 131; Vol. 143, p. 161)

Joseph Miller was an innkeeper at Milton; in November 1749 he was listed as a taxpayer in the east end of the town of Milton, where he probably lived in the house on Adams Street which he had inherited from his father. On 20 Jan. 1738/9 Joseph Miller of Milton, innkeeper, sold to Benjamin Fenno Sr. and Benjamin Fenno Jr., 180 square feet in Milton, bounded by land of Samuel Miller Esq. deceased (his father #11). (Suffolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 106, p. 156; History of Milton, Mass., 1887, by A. K. Teele, pp. 129, 217)

On 24 July 1758 Letters of Administration on the estate of Joseph Miller of Milton deceased were granted to his son Joseph Miller of Portsmouth, N. H., merchant. On 26 July 1758 the estate was inventoried at £ 241.09.07, including his "mansion house and 15 acres of land together with a clock fixed to the Freehold." On 3 April 1761 the property was distributed to the widow and children, Hezekiah, William, John and Joseph Miller, Abigail Hunt, Ruth Vose, and Deborah Miller. (Suffolk Co., Mass. Probates, Vol. 53, pp. 546, 551; Vol. 58, pp. 241-2) On 12 June 1761 Abigail Miller of Boston, widow and relict of Joseph Miller late of Milton, quitclaimed to Joseph Miller (her son) administrator of the estate, her rights in said estate. (Suffolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 96, p. 193)

On 1 Aug. 1758 William Miller, over 14 years, son of Joseph Miller of Milton gentleman deceased, chose as his guardian his mother Abigail Miller of Boston; and on the same date John and Deborah Miller, both under 14 years, had their mother appointed as guardian. On 29 Sept. 1769 William Miller of Boston, housewright, was appointed guardian to John Miller "age about 21 years", son of Abigail Miller, "late of Boston, widow, deceased." (Suffolk Co., Mass. Probates, Vol. 53, pp. 547, 549, 550; Vol. 68, p. 299)

On 3 Nov. 1769 division of Abigail Miller's estate was made to Joseph, Hezekiah, William and John Miller, Abner Hunt and wife Abigail, Nathaniel Vose and wife Ruth, William Sheppard and wife Deborah. The inventory of this estate included land in Hampshire Co., Mass. set off to Abigail Miller as her part as heir of John Read late of Boston. (Ibid., Vol. 68, p. 350; Chase, op. cit., loc. cit.)

Joseph Miller and Abigail Read had seven children:

- i. Joseph, d. between 4 June 1782 and 8 Apr. 1805; m. Mary ..., who d. at Roxbury, Mass. in April 1809 aged 75 yrs. (Columbian Centinel of 26 Apr. 1809, Bonsall) In 1758 Joseph Miller was a merchant in Portsmouth, N.H., but sometime thereafter he moved to Montserrat, West Indies. On 4 June 1782 Mary Miller of Boston, wife of Joseph Miller of the Island of Mounseratt, West Indies, clerk, by virtue of an Act of the General Assembly on 13 Feb. 1782, quitclaimed to William Miller (#77) the rights of herself or Joseph Miller in the estate of William Read Esq., late of Boston deceased. (Suffolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 218, p. 77) The will of Mary Miller of Boston, widow of Joseph Miller late of Montseret, W.I., clerk, dated 8 Apr. 1805, probated 6 June 1809, bequeathed all to Mary Willard, widow of Joseph Willard D.D., late of Cambridge, Mass. Executor: Sidney Willard of Cambridge, (Norfolk Co., Mass. Probates, Vol. 16, p. 54)
 - ii. Abigail, d. in Milton, 19 Dec. 1795; m. there 14 Jan. 1751, Rev. Abner Hunt, b. 28 July 1731, d. in Milton, 21 Aug. 1814, son of Joseph and Esther (Searl) Hunt. Six children, born in Milton. (Genealogy of the Name and Family of Hunt, 1862-3, by W. L. G. Hunt, p. 254)
 - 76 iii. HEZEKIAH READ, b. ca. 1733.
 - iv. Ruth, b. in Milton, 23 May 1737, d. in Leominster, Mass., 3 June 1821; m. in Milton in 1756, Nathaniel Vose, b. there 25 Apr. 1737, d. in Leominster, 30 Nov. 1803, son of Nathaniel and Rachel (Bent) Vose. Nine children, born in Milton; one born in Sherborn, Mass. (Robert Vose and His Descendants, 1932, by Ellen F. Vose, p. 68)
 - 77 v. WILLIAM, b. 6 June 1739.
 - vi. Deborah, b. 7 Aug. 1746, d. in Leominster, 15 Dec. 1801 aged 55 yrs.; m. (1) after 1761, William Sheppard; m. (2) in Leominster, 23 Oct. 1777, Thomas Legate.
 - 78 vii. JOHN, bpt. 30 Oct. 1748. (Bonsall)
31. JOHN (4) MILLER (Samuel-3, John-2, John-1), b. in Milton Mass., 28 May 1718, bur. there 17 Aug. 1765 aged 47 years; m. at Boston, Mass., 21 Aug. 1738, ELIZABETH VASSEL, b. in the West Indies, 16 July 1717, d. 2 Feb. 1772, daughter of Maj. Leonard and Ruth (Gale) Vassel. (The Vassels of New England, 1862, by Edward D. Harris, pp. 12-3; "Alderman John Vassel and His Descendants", by Charles M. Calder, in NEHG Register, Vol. 109, 1955, pp. 91-102)

John and Elizabeth Miller of Milton sold land in Milton: on 3 June 1741, ten acres of woodland to William Peirce of Milton; on 28 Aug. 1741, 38 acres to David Vose of Milton; and on 20 Jan. 1742, to Samuel Miller(#28) 40 acres in the eighty acre Meeting House Pasture, which came to John by the will of his father Samuel Miller, late of Milton deceased. On 9 Aug. 1743 John and Elizabeth Miller of Milton quitclaimed to Ebenezer Miller(#29) of Braintree, eight acres of salt marsh in Milton, the late estate of Samuel and Rebecca Miller father and mother of Ebenezer and John. (Suffolk Co., Mass. Deeds, Vol. 65, pp. 58, 242; Vol. 63, p. 1; Vol. 68, p. 56)

All the following children of John and Elizabeth Miller were baptised at Christ Church, Quincy, Mass. by their uncle, the Rev. Ebenezer Miller.

John Miller and Elizabeth Vassel had nine children, born at Milton, Mass.:

- 79 i. LEWIS, b. 31 Apr. 1739.
 - ii. Rebecca, b. 12 Apr. 1741; m. 3 Nov. 1766, Giles Church of Bridgewater, Mass. (Genealogy of Richard Church of Plymouth, 1913, by J. A. Church, p. 70)
 - iii. John, b. 28 Apr. 1742. No further record.
- 80 iv. LEONARD, b. 10 Dec. 1743.
 - v. Henry, b. 25 Jan. 1746; m. int. Weymouth, Mass., 11 July 1767, Ruth Ward. One daughter, born at Weymouth. During the Revolution, Henry Miller of Milton was listed as a private in Capt. Oliver Vose's militia company (no date) and in Capt. Josiah Vose's company as of 13 Apr. 1776. (History of Milton, Mass., 1887, by A. K. Teele, pp. 434-5) From 27 April to 1 Dec. 1775 he served in Capt. William Bent's Co., Col. John Groaton's 36th Reg't. at Fort No. 2 and at Cambridge; on 19 Nov. 1776 he was enlisted by Lt. Leonard Miller for service in Capt. Aaron Haynes' Co., Col. Wigglesworth's Reg't; on 27 June 1777 he enlisted at Milton for three years service in the Continental Army in Capt. William's Co., Col. Groaton's Reg't, at Valley Forge, Camp Greengage and Providence; on 29 Jan. 1781 he was a corporal in Capt. Pillsbury's Co., 6th Massachusetts Reg't, then 35 yrs. old, 5 feet 8 inches tall,

dark hair and complexion, with light eyes. (Mass. Soldiers and Sailors in the Rev. War, Vol. X, p. 752)

- vi. Susannah, b. 13 Mar. 1748.
- vii. Elizabeth (twin), b. 6 June 1750.
- viii. Mary (twin), b. 6 June 1750, d. in Milton, 27 Sept. 1758.
- ix. Penelope, b. 26 July 1752, d. in Milton, 23 June 1754.

32. BENJAMIN (4) MILLARD (Joseph-3, Benjamin-2, John-1), b. at Windham, Conn., 30 March 1756, living there in 1840; m. there 19 Jan. 1784, LUCRETIA BRIGHAM, b. ca. 1760, living 28 June 1820, aged 60 years, d. before 1830.

During the Revolutionary War Benjamin Millard served four days on the Lexington Alarm; and again the following fall he enlisted for a year's service in the Connecticut militia in Capt. Thomas Dyer's Co., Col. John Durkee's Reg't; he served in this outfit one year, one month and three days before he was discharged somewhere in New Jersey. (Record of Connecticut Men in the Military and Naval Service During the War of the Revolution, 1889, edited by Henry P. Johnston, p. 26; Revolutionary Pension Application S 36 146)

On 24 Feb. 1782 Benjamin's father gave him 20 acres in the south part of the father's homestead in Windham; the next year on 7 Feb. 1783 Benjamin bought five acres in Windham, with a "mansion" house; and on 19 April 1783 he leased his father's 104 acre farm and in return agreed to take care of his parents. On 10 Oct. 1785 after his mother and father had quitclaimed their rights in the property, Benjamin Millard sold 40 acres in Windham, being the west part of the farm which he had purchased of his father; on 12 Dec. 1785 Benjamin sold to his brother Joseph Millard Jr. 20 acres, being a part of the farm "my honored father Mr. Joseph Millard of Windham lately owned." On 15 March 1798 Joseph Skiff quitclaimed to Benjamin Millard on 16 acres on which "the sd Millard now lives." (Windham, Conn. Deeds, Vol. P, p. 584; Vol. Q, p. 444; Vol. S, p. 111; Vol. R, p. 261; Vol. S, pp. 152, 164; Vol. W, p. 88)

On 28 June 1820 Benjamin Millard of Windham, Conn. made application for a pension based on his military service in the Revolutionary War. He stated that he was then 64 years old, living with a wife aged 60, and a dependent daughter Sarah aged 32 years. He was in ill health and had few possessions. (Revolutionary Pension Application S 36 146) At the time of the 1830 census Benjamin was still living in Windham with his daughter Sarah, age 30-40 years. The U.S. Census of Pensioners of 1840 lists a Benjamin Willard, age 85 years, head of the family where he was residing in Windham on 1 June 1840. (Johnston, op. cit., p. 663) This name is almost certainly a misreading of Millard for no Benjamin Willard appears on any other list of Connecticut pensioners whereas Benjamin Millard of Windham would have been almost exactly this age in 1840. Benjamin's deathdate is not listed in the Windham Vital Records and there is no settlement there for his estate.

In the absence of authoritative evidence the following list of Benjamin Millard's children is probably incomplete, and in the case of DeLauna may even be overly optimistic.

Benjamin Millard and Lucretia Brigham had the following probable children:

- i. Charles, b. at Windham, 14 Jan. 1785. No further record.
- ii. Sarah, b. at Windham, 14 Aug. 1786, living and unmarried in 1830.
- iii. Elijah, b. at Windham, 30 Oct. 1787. Elijah Millard was "of Windham" on 6 Apr. 1812, when he purchased 53 acres there, and on 27 May 1816, when he witnessed a deed to his father Benjamin Millard. (Windham, Conn. Deeds, Vol. W, pp. 394, 462) In the 1820 census of Windham, an Elijah Miller was listed with a household of two persons. No further records at Windham.
- iv. Benjamin, "son of Benjamin Millard", d. at Windham, 28 July 1809 aged 13 yrs. (Windham Church Records)
- v. DeLauna, m. at Windham, 29 Mar. 1818, Mary Killey. DeLauna and Mary Millard had three daughters recorded at Windham: Julia Sophronia, Susan Lucretia and Lydia Louise. These last two names certainly suggest the possibility that the little girls were grandchildren of Benjamin #32, but no further evidence on this hypothesis has been discovered. "Dilliea" Miller was listed in the 1820 census of Windham with a household of four persons.

To be continued

ST. PAUL'S CATHOLIC CEMETERY, GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MICH.

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St. Paul's Catholic Cemetery, opposite St. Paul's Church, is located on Moross Road off Jefferson Avenue, Grosse Pointe Farms, Wayne County, Michigan.

ADA (rest of inscription buried in the ground)
 AUDET Zoe Louisa, dit La Pointe, wife of Peter Morrois, b. Sept. 15, 1836;
 d. ? 22, 1878
 ALLARD Gilbert J., Sr. b. 1857; d. 19--
 Justine, his wife, b. 1858; d. 1881
 Gilbert J., Jr. b. 1881; d. 1881
 Clarence N., b. 1899; d. 1899
 Louis L., b. Jan. 25, 1827; d. Nov. 11, 1914
 Theresa, his wife, b. June 1, 1845; d. Feb. 13, 1925
 Andrew D., b. 1859; d. 1928
 Rose M., his wife, b. 1863; d. 1906
 Frank L., b. 1888; d. 1921
 Albert, b. 1893; d. 1911
 James, b. 1899; d. 1915
 ALTER John J., d. Aug. 23, 1881 ae. 12 yrs 9 mos 23 days
 Teador A., b. July 7, 1883; d. Jan. 26, 1884
 Stanley J., b. 1904; d. 1950 "Husband - Father"
 ALLOR Mary, wife of Paul F. Rivard, b. Oct. 11, 1857; d. Aug. 26, 1916
 Douglas T., b. 1886; d. 19-- "Father"
 Vallie M., b. 1887; d. 1943 "Mother"
 AMEZ George
 AMEIS Cecelia Kenel, b. 1887; d. 1940 "Dear Mother"
 P. & L. In memory of Infant daughter Flossy, d. April 20, 1892
 ae 2 yrs. 4 mos. Infant son Nicholas, d. April 20, 1892
 ae 3 yrs 10 mos
 BEAUVAIS Howard R. b. Sept. 25, 1930; d. Sept. 30, 1944
 BEAUPRE Mary C., wife of Carl A. Schleicher, b. 1904; d. 1935
 BEAUFAIT Louis L., son of Col. Beaufait, b. 1808; d. 1887
 Catherine C., his wife, b. 1805; d. 1870
 BENCIT Mrs. Philomen, wife of Charles B. Trombley, b. April 15, 1828; d. May 25, 1896
 BRYs Alice, b. 1857; d. 1924
 William, b. 1882; d. 1923
 Charles, b. 1845; d. 1908
 BARTON Harvey J. b. 1908; d. 1947 "Father"
 BEAUFAIT Margaret M. daughter of J. & M. Beaufait, b. 1912; d. 1916
 BAKEMAN Peter
 Catherine
 BOSCH Casimiro, b. May 13, 1869; d. Apr. 17, 1936
 BLONDELL Colestine, b. August 2, 1871; d. Nov. 5, 1931
 CHAUVIN Isadore, b. 1866; d. 1923 "Father"
 Norman "Our darling"
 Charles, b. 1858; d. 1897 "Father"
 Anna, b. 1861; d. 1942 "Mother"
 CHAMPINE Barney, b. 1859; d. 1925
 A. T., b. 1862; d. 1927
 CHEMPINE Thomas, b. Oct. 24, 1853; d. Nov. 13, 1926
 CHELIE Jennie, nee Vernier, Mrs. R. T., b. 1872; d. 1945
 Joseph, b. 1871; d. 1935
 COOK August, b. Aug. 15, 1832; d. Jan. 27, 1891
 Rosalie, his wife, d. July 22, 1910, ae 76 yrs
 CHAMPINE Albert, b. Oct. 28, 1901; d. Oct. 7, 1938
 Joseph, b. 1881; d. 1942 "Husband - Father"
 Edward, b. 1911; d. 1943 "Husband - Father"
 Stephen, b. 1885; d. 1950 "Husband"

CHAMPAGNE Sed W.
 CHAMPINE Walter B., b. June 30, 1894; d. July 27, 1942 "Father"
 CHAMPAGNE Nettie, b. 1904; d. 1949 "Mother"
 CHAUVIN Mary, b. 1869; d. 1921
 b. April 18, 1862; d. Feb. 1, 1879 (stone broken)
 CADIEUX Josephine, b. 1864; d. 1918
 Mighel, d. July 24, 1865 ae 68 yrs 9 mos
 Lilly Virginia, daughter of R. & G., b. Feb. 29, 1868; d. Jan. 28, 1870
 David J. Corp. Co. C. 15 U. S. Inf.
 Archange, b. Feb. 18, 1809; d. Jan. 17, 1891
 Richard C., b. Nov. 10, 1839; d. April 21, 1910
 Edmond N., Pvt. 1st cl. 125 Inf. 32 Div. Mich. b. April 10, 1885; d. Mar. 13, 1944
 Cyrus G. Pvt. 1st cl. Mich. 303 Co. Motor Trans. Corp. b. July 18, 1880;
 d. June 26, 1938
 William L.
 COUTURE Albert, b. May 23, 1843; d.
 Elizabeth, b. December 15, 1843; d. Nov. 30, 1919
 CAHILL Madeline, b. Jan. 12, 1904; d. April 24, 1932 "Sister"
 DECKER Mary, b. 1866; d. 1901
 Mary, b. 1886; d. 1897 "Daughter"
 DORF Mary Hilgen, b. 1869; d. 1925 "Mother"
 DEHATE b. Nov. 16, 1889; d. May 20, 1895
 Lottie, b. Oct. 16, 1892; d. Mar. 5, 1919
 Alex, b. 1868; d. 1949 "Father"
 Sara, b. 1864; d. 1938 "Mother"
 DELMAS Richard, b. Dec. 28, 1854; d. Feb. 25, 1888
 DeBECK Amanda, born in Holland Jan. 17, 1910; d. Aug. 24, 1924
 DUPUIS Elizabeth E., b. 1859; d. 1946 "Mother"
 George A., b. 1848; d. 1899 "Father"
 DeCLERCQ Bruno, b. 1830; d. 1920 "Father"
 Louise, b. 1854; d. 1948 "Mother"
 D'HOCQHE Henry, b. Sept. 26, 1871; d. July 29, 1939 "Father"
 Eudolie, b. Oct. 15, 1870; d. Dec. 22, 1942 "Mother"
 DULAC Robert, Mich Pvt. 1st cl. Med. Dept. July 3, 1942
 D'HONDY Valerie, b. 1845; d. 1922
 Camil, b. 1843; d. 1905
 DESPREY Edward, b. Aug. 1, 1867; d. Aug. 22, 1886
 DOMINICK Rose C., b. Feb. 17, 1896; d. Oct. 14, 1949 "Wife"
 DENK Norbert F., b. 1897; d. 1942
 DRULARD Frank F., Co. M. 32nd Mich. Inf. Spanish War
 John Francis, Mich. Pvt. U. S. Marine Corps. Feb. 29, 1928
 DeGRANDCHAMP Joseph P., b. 1835; d. 1899
 Frederick, b. 1877; d. 1883
 Arthur J., b. 1869; d. 1927
 Mary B., b. 1869; d. 1934
 Geraldine, daughter of Arthur & Mary, b. 1901; d. 1902
 ERB Joseph, b. 1882; d. 1950 "Beloved Husband"
 EGGE Beloved wife of Alfred Egge
 FRESCH Dora, b. Feb. 19, 1885; d. Feb. 12, 1915
 Wilbert, d. Oct. 11, 1906 ae 33 yrs
 FOES Germaine, b. Aug. 6, 1930; d. Mar. 13, 1949 "Dear Daughter"
 FRAZIER Alfred R., Mich. Cpl. 329 Mg. Bn. 85 Div., WWI, b. Oct. 2, 1895; d. Feb. 8, 1949
 Therese, b. 1853; d. 1937 "Mother"
 Louis, b. 1849; d. 1935 "Father"
 FORGET Madeleine, b. in France, d. Feb. 18, 1930
 GRIFFORD Victor
 Alizia, d. Mar. 21, 1918, ae 67 yrs
 GERHARD Josephine, b. 1876; d. 1920
 GOUIN Matilda, d. Aug. 29, 1909 "Wife"
 Pontiff, d. May 10, 1906 ae 74 yrs
 GROESBECK Elizabeth, beloved wife of Richard Chauvin, d. Nov. 13, 1892 ae 57 yrs
 GIRARD Elizabeth, married Horace E. Paye, b. 1886; d. 1909 "Mother"

GOOSEN Victor, b. 1863; d. 1924
 Julia, b. 1869; d. 1917
 Mathilda, b. July 4, 1867; d. Jan. 9, 1940 "Mother"
 Joseph, b. Sept. 25, 1865; d. Oct. 26, 1906 Husband of Theresa
 William J., b. 1884; d. 1943
 Fannie, b. 1890; d. 1915
 Rosemary, b. 1920; d. 1927
 Alice M., b. 1866; d. 1935

GRAVIER Catherine, b. 1830; d. 1912
 Pierre, b. 1825; d. 1917
 J. B. Pere, born at Belfort, France, d. Nov. 5, 1882 ae 86 yrs
 Otille, born at Perouse, France, d. Feb. 22, 1872 ae 66 yrs
 Charles, b. 1866; d. 1943
 Eleanor, b. 1866; d. 1944

HARRIS William G., b. Jan. 2, 1871; d. June 10, 1913
 Joseph W., b. 1908; d. 1940 "Son"
 Mary L., b. 1876; d. 1947 "Mother"

HEABEART Julia, d. Oct. 31, 1923

HASKIN Samuel, b. 1898; d. 1924

HOUGARDY Marie J., b. 1880; d. 1936 "Dear Wife"

HORNER Henry L., b. 1927; d. 1933 "Dear Son"

HAGAN Mary Etta, b. 1873; d. 1941

HUVAERE Henry, b. 1869; d. 1937 "Father"
 Pharailde, b. 1873; d. 1946 "Mother"
 August, b. 1866; d. 1942
 Stella, b. 1905; d. 1919

HASTEN Ernest W. Mich. Mus. 2nd Cl. 125 Inf. 32 Div. Aug. 7, 1938

HOUTTEGHEM Maria, born in Belgium Oct. 19, 1895; d. 1932

JOHNESE Madglen, d. Sept. 18, 1844 ae. 37 yrs. 6 mos

KERBY Mary M., b. 1855; d. 1935
 Rufus Mark, b. 1869; d. 1949
 Catherine, b. Nov. 1, 1832, d. Dec. 9, 1907 "Mother"

KENNEDY N. J. R. d. Nov. 12, 1908 ae 73 yrs
 Mary K., wife of N. J. R. d. Sept. 8, 1891 ae 37 yrs
 Richard J., d. Feb. 19, 1898 ae 21 yrs
 Mattie, b. 1883; d. 1919
 Joseph, b. Jan. 16, 1886, d. -29, 1904, ae 18 yrs
 Patrice Joan

KELLEHER John H. b. Nov. 16, 1879; d. Oct. 13, 1944 "Beloved Father"

KEELER John & Blondell (rest rusted off)

KRUMHOLZ W., d. March 19, 1878 ae 41 yrs 3 mos

KORTE Elizabeth, nee Tinnes, b. June 24, 1831; d. March 1, 1902

KAES Melaine, b. March 16, 1858; d. March 13, 1936 "Mother"
 Victor, b. Aug. 9, 1864; d. March 26, 1920 "Father"
 Adeline, b. July 19, 1899; d. March 2, 1925 "Daughter"

KOLLMORGEN Isabella Rivard, b. 1884; d. 1950 "Mother"

LANCASTER Edith C., b. 1890; d. 19-- "Mother"
 William J., b. 1886; d. 1941 "Father"
 Jeanne Audre, daughter, Sept. 10, 1920
 Ada V., b. Mar. 26, 1885; d. Jan. 28, 1949

LaBELLE Lester J., b. Jan. 8, 1904; d. June 11, 1949

LaBRCSKI Marie, b. 1854; d. 1924 "Mother"

LaCHAT Clara, b. 1858; d. 1929

LaBEAU Patrick, b. 1884; d. 1945 "Father"

LENNON Kathleen, b. 1882; d. --19 "Mother"

LEBERC Anna, b. Sept. 17, 1869; d. May 20, 1909 "Mother"

LeBEAU Emma, b. May 18, 1884; d. Jan. 2, 1943 "Mother"

LODEWYK Matthais, born in Holland Apr. 9, 1884; d. Dec. 29, 1892

LILLY Lucille M. "Daughter"

MEININGER Marvin L., b. 1927; d. 1943

MILLER Nancy, b. 1870; d. 1937
 Charles, d. July 30, 1948

MORAN

Theresa, wife of George, d. Aug. 14, 1825 ae 70 yrs 6 mos
 (erected by twin sons)
 Richard G., b. 1828; d. 1912 "Father"
 Mary E., b. 1831, "Mother"
 Josephine, wife of Ames B. b. June 13, 1855; d. Feb. 11, 1917
 Gilbert J. Lieut. Col., G. 15 Mich. Vet. Vol. 3 Brig. 4 Div. Army
 of Tenn. 15 Army Corps. (Mich. 257 Marker Womans Relief
 Corps) born Jan. 26, 1837

MARSACK
 MONAGHAN
 MITCHAU

Catherine, b. Sept. 14, 1849
 Noah, b. Mar. 31, 1925; d. May 18, 1927 "Beloved Son"
 George William, Mich. 2nd Lieut. 48 M.G. Bn. 16 Div. Feb. 23, 1935
 William, b. 1853; d. 1925
 Josephine, his wife, b. 1854; d. 1940

MARTIN
 MEYERS
 MARTIN
 MICHAUX

Gladys, b. 1902; d. 1922
 Julia E., "Dear Wife" b. 1889; d. 1938
 William F., b. Apr. 18, 1857; d. Sept. 19, 1906
 Alice, b. 1856; d. 1936 "Mother"
 John F., b. 1843; d. 1928 "Father"
 Francis A., b. 1877; d. 1921

MOROSS
 MARTIN

Maglory, d. May 5, 1872 ae 28 yrs 22 days (broken stone)
 Vera, b. Oct. 10, 1892; d. Aug. 10, 1897
 Hamilton, b. Sept. 24, 1859; d. Aug. 17, 1894
 Charles L., b. Feb. 24, 1865; d. May 8, 1894
 Nancy, b. May 18, 1793; d. March 31, 1869
 Pauline, b. June 13, 1826; d. Feb. 3, 1903
 Ama Elizabeth, daughter of George & Polly, b. March 3, 1855
 d. Oct. 15, 1874

MONAGHAN
 MEININGER

John W., b. Oct. 14, 1848; d. March 10, 1891
 Henry, b. July 8, 1840; d. July 2, 1911
 Catherine, his wife, b. July 22, 1844; d. May 29, 1914
 Eva, d. Feb. 23, 1890, ae 90 yrs 16 days

McELROY
 MORAIS
 MICHAUX
 MICHAELS
 MITCHSHOE
 MIDDEL
 MURTAGH

Robert, b. 1872; d. 1940 "Father"
 Hattie, wife of Peter, b. July 14, 1838; d. Dec. 26, 1910, ae 73 yrs
 Elizabeth, b. 1809; d. 1895
 Margaret, b. 1888; d. 1932 "Mother"
 Thomas, b. Apr. 10/16, 1810 (rest of stone in ground)
 Edwin, b. 1901; d. 1925

MUNCH
 MEININGER
 NEFF

John, beloved husband, b. June 17, 1856; d. Dec. 13, 1939
 Rose S., beloved wife, b. March 9, 1869; d. Jan. 11, 1946
 Catherine, wife of Darius, d. Aug. 1, 1876 ae 52 yrs "Mother"
 Marvin L., b. 1927; d. 1943
 Leonard J., b. 1893; d. 1936
 Frances, daughter of Christoph & Catherine, d. Apr. 12, 1884 ae 13 yrs 25 days

NEWBERRY
 NEFF
 PAYE

Alger F., b. 1899; d. 1924
 William A., Mich. Cht. Elect. U.S.N.R.F. Jan. 26, 1938 (Marker Am. Legion)
 J. Clifton, b. 1905; d. 1937
 Charles A., b. 1868; d. 1939

PETERS

Adolphus, d. Feb. 3, 1877 ae 64 yrs 24 days
 Henry, b. May 27, 1826; d. July 6, 1911 ae 85 yrs
 Hendrina, b. Sept. 23, 1827; d. Aug. 24, 1905 ae 78 yrs
 Charles L., b. Oct. 5, 1839; d. July 6, 1902

POUPARD
 PICHEA

Arthur
 Iva

PHISFER
 PLATZ
 PAYE

Ferdinand, d. Jan. 21, 1892 ae 89 yrs
 Julia Gravier, b. 1860; d. 1949
 Cecelia, b. April 15, 1849; d. May 1, 1926
 Nancy, b. April 28, 1873; d. Oct. 22, 1918
 Edmond, b. Feb. 10, 1847; d. April 12, 1884
 Horace E., b. 1876; d. 1920

PHILLIP
 PATTERSON

Nikolaus, b. April 5, 1821; d. Feb. 26, 1861
 William Geo. D. M., d. May 23, 1923; ae 42 yrs

RENAUD Fladget L., b. 1871; d. 1938
 RHEIN Henry F., b. May 31, 1888; d. May 26, 1889
 John L., b. Oct. 11, 1886; d. Apr. 16, 1889
 RENAUD Josephine, b. 1855; d. 1883
 Paul, b. 1851; d. 1900
 RIVARD Paul F., b. Jan. 9, 1854
 Jennie, b. Jan. 14, 1886; d. Jan. 21, 1895
 Paul, b. July 7, 1891; d. Jan. 8, 1895
 Charles, b. July 18, 1893; d. Jan. 15, 1895
 ROLAND Bernard, b. Jan. 21, 1864; d. July 6, 1909 "Father"
 Julia V., his wife, b. Jan. 12, 1869; d. Aug. 14, 1921 "Mother"
 William, d. Sept. 9, 1906 ae. 47 yrs.
 Julia, d. June 1, 1932, ae. 67 yrs.
 RENC Barnaby, b. 1855; d. 1937
 ROBERTJOHN Eli, d. March 1, 1900 ae. 71 "Father"
 Archange Reno, d. Nov. 2, 1916, ae. 82 yrs "Mother"
 Charles, b. Nov. 26, 1860; d. Dec. 27, 1894
 Tombstone broken with names of 3 children, 15 yrs; 18 yrs; 7 yrs.
 RENC Louise, b. 1857; d. 1923
 Antoine, d. July 7, 1879, ae. 69 yrs.
 Nancy Moross, wife of Antoine, tombstone underground
 RENEAU Antoine, d. 1861 ae. 27 yrs. 2 mos.
 RENC Charles, b. 1855; d. 1933
 RIVARD Victoire, epouse de Janvier Gagnier, b. July 21, 1859 ae 13 yrs. 8 mos.(sic)
 Oliver M., b. July 16, 1863; d. July 16, 1941 "Father"
 Rose, b. Aug. 30, 1873; d. July 30, 1948 "Mother"
 Louis M., d. Jan. 7, 1893 ae. 84 yrs
 Michael N., d. April 20, 1893 ae. 82 yrs.
 Peter O., b. 1886; d. 1938 "Father"
 RUSCH Helen, b. 1905; d. 1923
 August, b. Aug. 20, 1832; d. July 4, 1907
 Mary Ann, his wife, b. Jan. 27, 1849; d. Aug. 1, 1923
 Catherine, b. 1876; d. 1939
 RENC Louis L., b. Nov. 15, 1824; d. Feb. 26, 1908 "Father"
 Archangel
 Victor, d. June 15, 1910 ae. 33 yrs.
 SULLIVAN Michael, b. 1878; d. 1948 "Father"
 SUTHERLAND John J., b. Oct. 25, 1940; d. May 20, 1948
 SCHLEICHER Carl A., b. 1904; d. 1935
 SCCIA Josephine, b. 1871; d. 1945 "Wife & Mother"
 SHIELDS Corinne L., b. Nov. 18, 1889; d. Apr. 17, 1940
 STORK Julius A., b. 1894; d. 19-- (Marker V.F.W. Ladies Aux.)
 Charlotte E., b. 1895; d. 1946
 SCHMIDT Frank, b. 1849; d. 1935
 Caroline, his wife, b. 1852; d. 1921
 STAELENS Joseph H., husband of Madeline, father of Albert & Louise,
 b. Sept. 8, 1885; d. May 21, 1949
 Henry, b. 1842; d. 1934 "Father"
 Louise, b. 1852; d. 1924 "Mother"
 Lena, b. 1877; d. 1943 "Daughter"
 SCCIA Dorothy I., b. Mar. 25, 1937; d. Apr. 1, 1937
 TROMBLEY Philomen Benoit, wife of Charles B., b. Apr. 15, 1828; d. May 25, 1896
 Susan, wife of Peter, b. Mar. 15, 1789; d. Dec. 25, 1875, ae. 86 yrs.
 Francis, b. June 10, 1821; d. Apr. 12, 1912) same
 Marcelle, b. May 21, 1831; d. Sept. 5, 1909) stone
 Victoria, b. Oct. 14, 1879; d. Dec. 6, 1942 "Mother"
 THIBERT Michael J., b. 1868; d. 1946 "Father"
 Alma M., b. 1875; d. 1938 "Mother"
 TROMBLEY Louis M., b. Nov. 2, 1863; d. May 7, 1902
 Edward J., b. 1882; d. 1938
 Mary, b. May 4, 1865; d. Oct. 3, 1933

TROMBLEY Mary, b. June 19, 1865; d. Aug. 7, 1942 "Mother"
 Elizabeth, b. 1867; d. 1942 "Mother"
 Victor, b. 1863; d. 1932 "Father"
 Alfred V., b. July 4, 1891; d. Mar. 31, 1926 "Son"
 Catherine E., wife of Robert, b. Dec. 5, 1850; d. Mar. 21, 1889
 ae. 38 yrs 4 mos 16 days

THOMAN Robert, d. Aug. 13, 1871 ae. 74 yrs 2 mos 23 days
 Leo Clements, Mich. Cook, 16 Ord. Depot Co. W.W. I, b. Dec. 1, 1887,
 d. Aug. 15, 1946

THIBAUT John, b. Mar. 10, 1850; d. Oct. 27, 1877

TINNES John, b. Aug. 28, 1840; d. Feb. 21, 1860

TROMBLE Elizabeth, wife of Laurence, b. Jan. 5, 1817; d. Sept. 18, 1887

VERNIER Andrew, b. 1838; d. 1924 "Father"
 Annie, b. 1846; d. 1919 "Mother"
 John I., b. 1859; d. 1916 "Father"
 Charlotte, b. 1870; d. 1934 "Mother"
 Leon, b. 1846; d. 1915) same
 Matilda, his wife, b. 1867; d. 1932) stone
 Charles, b. Feb. 28, 1829; d. July 3, 1905 "Father"
 Irene, wife of Charles, b. Nov. 8, 1826; d. July 8, 1901
 Mary, b. 1859; d. 1907
 Clarence - 1921. "To my father's mother and father, To my mother
 and father, To my sons mother"

VAN ANTWERP C. O., b. 1866; d. 1933

VERNIER Arthur W., Co. C, 19 Inf. Sp. Am. War

VAN BECELAERE Emma, b. Feb. 29, 1868; d. Nov. 1, 1931 "Mother"
 August, b. Aug. 15, 1858; d. May 6, 1926 "Father"

VERNIER Joseph G., b. 1862; d. 1935
 Bertha M., b. 1868; d. 1946

VAN ANTWERP Charles, b. 1835; d. 1916
 Catherine, b. 1834; d. 1913
 Stella, b. 1875; d. 1910

VERNIER William B., b. Oct. 31, 1868) same
 Genevieve C., beloved wife, b. July 7, 1874; d. Apr. 6, 1918) stone
 Victor L., b. 1846; d. 1901 "Father"
 Wallace C., b. June 14, 1880; d. Sept. 11, 1918 "Son"
 Sylvester, July ---- "Son"

VANDER BUSH Daniel, b. Mar. 7, 1850; d. Oct. 27, 1908 "Father"

VAN DERVEN John, born in Holland Mar. 15, 1845; d. Jan. 24, 1912
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VERHEYDEN Philomene, his wife, b. Mar. 14, 1848; d. June 4, 1925
 Adrien born in Holland Sept. 3, 1815; d. June 14, 1886
 Annie Cornelia, wife of Andrew, born in Holland, Oct. 15, 1807;
 d. Apr. 24, 1895

VAN DERVEN Catherine --
 G. L., b. Sept. 17, 1875; d. Aug. 13, 1900
 Sadie, b. June 2, 1900; d. July 1, 1900

VERHEYDEN Joseph, b. 1819; d. 1901
 Mary, his wife, b. 1827; d. 1907

VENTZKE Mary, wife of Fred, d. May 10, 1907, ae. 28 yrs

VERNIER Bryan C., b. Feb. 7, 1901; d. July 13, 1926
 Grace A., nee Dow, b. 1912; d. 1947

VERHEYDEN Daughter of C. L. & P., b. 1886; d. 1901

VERNIER James L., b. 1877; d. 1943. "Father"

VAN HOET Romania, b. 1866
 Constant, b. 1852; d. 1917

VERNIER John B., d. Jan. 29, 1834 in 81st year
 Catherine, wife of John B., d. Aug. 21, 1831, ae. 65 yrs.
 Pauline -de la Doucaun Van Antwerp, d. Sept. 27, 1889 ae. 80 yrs)and
 svs. Francis, d. Oct. 12, 1889 ae. 85 yrs)

VAN ANTWERP

VERNIER Archange, d. Mar. 11, 1890 ae. 96 yrs. Mother of Gideon, Zoe, Fladgett,
 Ledger, Rose, Xavier
 Gideon L., b. April 25, 1824; d. Oct. 27, 1875
 Orange, his beloved wife, b. Feb. 23, 1827; d. Feb. 9, 1902
 Rosy Archange, d. March 16, 1871, ae. 4 yrs
 Gidion, d. Oct. 27, 1875 ae. 51 yrs, 6 mos. 2 days
 VAN ANTWERP Michael, b. Oct. 11, 1836; d. Dec. 3, 1915
 Mary M., b. Feb. 7, 1851; d. Jan. 16, 1921
 VAN BECELAERE V., Jerome, Tech. 5th Gr. b. Sept. 24, 1900; d. Feb. 22, 1947 "Brother"
 Lester, b. June 20, 1923; d. May 1, 1926 "Beloved Son"
 Elvira, b. May 16, 1897; d. Oct. 4, 1933 "Sister"
 WARNER Erwin E., b. 1897; d. 1918
 James R., b. 1861; d. 1906
 WEST Melinda, b. Feb. 12, 1860; d. Mar. 24, 1917
 Henry C., b. 1859; d. 1930
 WEST Blanche, b. 1902; d. 1942 "Mother"
 (West?)
 WEST August, b. Nov. 28, 1834; d.
 Rosalie, b. Aug. 28, 1839; d. Sept. 1, 1912
 YOUNG Frank M., b. 1875; d. 1947 "Beloved Husband"
 ZUMBO Helen M., b. 1904; d. 1936

A JIPSON FAMILY RECORD

Contributed by Maude C. Hathaway, Blissfield, Mich.

This record was found among some articles purchased at the sale of the estate of Flora Jipson Ellis, only child of Henry Jipson, below. She died in Blissfield, Michigan.

Betsy Griswold	born	Feb. 23rd	1783		
Almon Jipson	"	Jan. 5th	1806	Seth R. Jipson	born Nov. 25th 1811
Phebe Jipson	"	Oct. 29th	1807	Orrin W. Jipson	" Mar. 24th 1814
Manus Jipson	"	Jan. 11th	1810	Henry Jipson	" Mar. 29th 1818

A second record was this sworn statement:

"State of California, County of Contra Costa,

Milo H. Turner and Caroline Turner his wife, being duly sworn deposes and says that Henry Jipson and Lucy Davis were joined in Marriage at the dwelling House of these affiants in the Town of DeWitt in the County of Clinton and State of Michigan by J. Foot Turner (now deceased) a County Judge of Said County of Clinton in the month of March 1842 and that these affiants were present as witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn before me James Foster

Milo H. Turner
 Caroline Turner

a Notary Public duly commissioned and sworn,

on this twenty-third day of March A. D. 1887

(Seal of James Foster-Notary James Foster

Public, Contra Costa Co., Cal.) Notary Public"

Pinned to the above sworn statement is a piece of printed paper about 3x4 inches in size on which is printed the following:

"CLINTONIAN--Extra

We were aroused this morning two hours before our usual waking hour, to act as a witness to the following interesting and important event: (Then follows a row of nine hands with the forefingers pointing down to this item.) MARRIED--In this village, this morning at 7 o'clock, by J. Foot Turner, Esq. Mr. HENRY JIPSON to Miss LUCY DAVIS, all of this village.

The above announcement will prove a source of congratulation to many--not to some, perhaps, --but we hope it will, in the end prove satisfactory to all. We are well pleased with the termination of perpetuus lis that has put our village in an inimicus condition, and though very subitus, it was very placidus concluded. The happy parties have gone to Grand River upon a ride, --may their journey be prosperous their lives happy, and their union blessed.--Printer's Devil."

OTISVILLE CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS, WAYNE COUNTY, MICH.

Contributed by Arthur Booth, Dearborn Mich.

This cemetery is located two miles south of Belleville and one and one-half miles east of Sumpter Road, on Riggs Road, Van Buren Twp., Wayne Co., Michigan.

THORSEY George C., 1876-1950; Mary B., 1886-1951
 CORKINS Monument: Charles, 1871-1917
 Ella, dau. of A. B. & S. B. Corkins, 1863-1898
 Aaron B., 1829-1916; His wife Sybil, 1829-1912
 KOPIL John, 1887-1955; Elizabeth, 1882- (----)
 RITTER Minnie Marshman, 1858-1937
 SEPPC Ralph E., father, 1885-1949
 MANZER Martha May, 1867-1935
 HEATH M. B., Co. I, 24 Mich. Inf. G.A.R. Marker
 RUNYAN John, d. Feb. 19, 1863 ae 79
 Seth G., Co. I, 11 Mich. Inf., d. Feb. 7, 1862 ae 20 yrs. G.A.R.
 Laura, wife of John Runyan Jr. d. May 13, 1888 ae 70
 ROGERS Henry S., son of E. W. & L. M. Rogers d. July 16, 1855 ae 5yr 10mo 25days
 Sarah E., dau. of E. W. & L. M. Rogers, d. Sept. 14, 1852 ae 4mo 8days
 WILCOX Lucy A., dau. of J. & L. Wilcox, d. Sept. 12, 1851 ae 3yrs 8mo
 BURT Monument: Jasper, Co. F, 24 Mich. Inf., d. Oct. 15, 1863, ae 28yrs 4mo 23days
 Ellen Burt wife of Wm. Riggs d. Feb. 27, 1870 ae 36yrs 10mo 27days
 Jehiel, b. 1800 d. 1875; Sally his wife b. 1801 d. 1875
 Riley W. & Albert, sons of J. & S. Burt, no dates
 COMPTON Allynda, wife of Hugh Compton, d. Aug. 26, 1835 ae 36yr 10days
 Two stones marked: Mother, Father, no names, no dates
 HOWLING Elizabeth, Nov. 20, 1864 d. Mar. 24, 1886
 ROBERTS Sarah Ann Roberts, 1846-1920
 John, 1847-1924
 HOWLING Anna, 1880-1926
 HUBBARD Mary C. 1852-1910, Hartwell, 1849-1931
 FORD Hiram, d. Mar. 20, 1842 ae 26yrs 6mo
 Catherine F., wife of Abner Ford, d. Jan. 5, 1856 ae 65yr 6mo
 Abner, b. in Canaan N.Y., Dec. 26, 1799 d. Aug. 21, 1860
 Rachel Johnson wife of Jonathan Ford, b. Feb. 9, 1771 d. June 2, 1836 ae 65
 Jonathan, b. in Canaan N. Y. (dates obliterated)
 HOLCOMB In memory of Margaretta, wife of Ebenezer Holcomb d. Aug. 23, 1835 ae 60yrs 3mo
 21days (among Ford stones)
 GOFF Annis M. wife of Rev. John Goff, d. Jan. 11, 1837 ae 80yr 6 mo
 Mary, second wife of Rev. John Goff d. Feb. 15, 1865 ae 74yr
 Rev. John, d. Apr. 10, 1864 ae 90yrs 7days
 ANDERSON A. D., d. Jul. 3, 1853 ae 32yrs
 DENNIS Infant son of E. & S. E. Dennis, d. Mar. 21, 1874 ae 2days
 NEAL Margaret E. Oct. 15, 1880 d. Aug. 8, 1957
 PATTERSON Susanah, mother, 1842-1920
 TAYLOR James, d. Apr. 2, 1864 ae 72yrs 6mo
 Franklin, son of J. & M. M. d. Jun. 18, 1837 ae 2yr 3mo 20days
 Mary M. w. of James Taylor, d. Aug. 4, 1873 ae 70yr 5mo 16days
 In memory of Mark J., son of above d. Apr. 18, 1863 ae 32yrs 5mo 16days
 Cornelia, dau. of J. & M. Taylor Aug. 2, 1828 - May 15, 1892
 WESTFALL Monument: Samuel b. Sept. 19, 1807 d. Dec. 18, 1893
 Betsey L., wife of Samuel, b. Oct. 8, 1812 d. Jul. 17, 1882
 Francis A., son of S. & B. L. Westfall, b. Aug. 10, 1838 d. Aug. 25, 1839
 KIPP Francis, d. Jan. 4, 1846 ae 35yrs
 DURRELL Moses, d. Apr. 11, 1840 ae 40yrs 6mo 15days
 Pauline W., d. Jan. 14, 1840 ae 23yrs 9mo 24days
 KIPP Walter, d. Oct. 30, 1846 ae 70yrs
 ALEXANDER Alice, d. Aug. 26, 1884 ae 81yrs 1mo 10days

- HUBBARD Harry R., 1807-1889
 Rosinah, 1818-1915
 George F., d. Aug. 19, 1871 ae 27yrs
 Harvey R., son of H. R. & R. W. Hubbard, d. Oct. 1, 1855 ae 3yr 1mo 7days
 John R., son of H. R. & R. W. Hubbard, d. Jun. 13, 1847 ae 6yr 7mo 13days
 Infant dau. of H. & M. Hubbard, d. Jun. 8, 1872
- RENTON George E., son of Andrew & Jennett Renton, d. Sept. 30, 1882 ae 1yr 3mo 3days
- SAVAGE Monument: Wm. O., May 27, 1837 - Jan. 25, 1903
 Janet, his wife, Feb. 17, 1830 - Apr. 3, 1902
 Catherine Johnson, Apr. 9, 1825 - May 23, 1892
- Single stones:
 Alta, d. Jan. 21, 1862 ae 6yrs 3mo
 Cornelius, d. July 23, 1878 ae 44yrs 7mo 12days
 Emma, wife of Cornelius D. Savage, b. Apr. 11, 1840 d. Apr. 5, 1914
 In memory of Minor Savage, d. Jan. 9, 1861 ae 71yrs 1day
 Clarissa, wife of Minor Savage, d. Aug. 18, 1869 ae 76yrs 4mo 9days
- RENTON Monument: William, 1823-1910
 Agnes, 1838-1920
 Elizabeth, 1869-1936
 Bella, 1870-1940
- Single stones:
 Andrew, d. Aug. 13, 1877 ae 81yrs
 Agnes, wife of Andrew Renton, d. Oct. 26, 1854 ae 52yrs
 Ellen, dau. of A. & J. Renton, d. ae 1mo 22days; no date.
 Mary C. dau. of W. & A., d. Aug. 7, 1874 ae 2yrs 9mo
 Agnes, dau of W. & A. Renton, d. Jan. 18, 1878 ae 3yrs 11mo 20days
- CARPENTER Monument: John, D. Dec. 1, 1874 ae 76yrs
 Lucy, wife of John Carpenter, Aug. 26, 1811 d. Dec. 20, 1892
 David B., son of J. & L. Carpenter, d. Dec. 28, 1854 ae 22yrs
 Caroline L., dau. of J. & L. Carpenter, d. Apr. 12, 1842 ae 3yrs
- DICKIE Mary, wife of Andrew Stewart, d. Sept. 16, 1859 ae 52
- WESTFALL G. D., Aug. 4, 1834-July 17, 1908 -- joint stone with
 Margaret, his wife, May 6, 1833 - June 10, 1895
- HULETT Monument: Helen, wife of Wm. Hulett, d. Aug. 24, 1897 ae 66yrs 10mo 3days
 George, son of W. & H. Hulett, d. July 1, 1881 ae 21yrs 9mo 24days
- Single stones:
 Margaret, dau. of Wm. & H. Hulet, d. Mar. 30, 1864 ae 3mo
 Elsie Ruth, dau of F. A. & M. E. Hulet, b. Apr. 10, 1896 d. Sept. 11, 1896
- DRAYTON W. T., 1810-1859; Ann his wife, 1815-1895
 John T., 1851-1928; Flora, 1854-1926
 Almer, d. Sept. 18, 1875 ae 2yrs 4mo 19days (son and dau.
 Alice F., d. Sept. 3, 1875 ae 2yrs 4mo 19days (of John T. Drayton
 Frank S. son of Wm. & C. Drayton, 1877-1900
- CRANDALL Monument: Charles, July 9, 1819 - Mar. 31, 1894
 Ruth H., Mar. 13, 1825 - Sept. 8, 1843(
 Sarah, Mar. 10, 1821 - Mar. 18, 1852 (wives of Charles Crandall
- JOHNSON Horace C., b. Nov. 1, 1808 d. July 5, 1881
 Sophronia, wife of H. C. Johnson, d. Sept. 17, 1875 ae 60yrs 7mo 26days
- DAUGHERTY Henry, 1828-1919; Mary, 1833-1910
 Charles, 1843-1898; G.A.R. Marker
- DAY Juliet, wife of George Day, d. Jan. 24, 1899 ae 53yrs 4mo 17days
- SAVAGE Monument: Saxton Savage, Mar. 11, 1831-Jan. 15, 1896
 Johanna, wife, Sept. 13, 1899 in her 69th year
- HOWLETT Mother of Walter & Willie Cross, 1854-1945. No name
- CROSS William J., d. Aug. 23, 1885 ae 41 - Monument
 Willie, d. Nov. 15, 1889; Walter J., d. Feb. 10, 1896 children of W. J. & M. E. Cross
- Single stones:
 Walter d. ae 15yrs 1mo 12days
 Willie d. ae 11yrs 7mo 2days
- SAVAGE Monument: David, May 13, 1827 - Nov. 15, 1899
 Marion J., his wife, July 17, 1839 - May 4, 1906
- MOONEY Bertha A. Mooney 1860-1919 dau.

LEFFLER Allen G. 1864-1941 son
Stanley, no dates or relationship

TEMPLETON Monument: David, b. Feb. 22, 1818 d. Apr. 27, 1881
James b. Jan. 19, 1854 d. Apr. 14, 1857
Florence, b. Mar. 28, 1871 d. Apr. 19, 1871
Margaret, wife of David Templeton b. Jan. 8, 1828 d. Jan. 15, 1897
David J. Templeton, d. Jun. 19, 1853 ae 6days

CAMPBELL Monument: Samuel b. Ayrshire, Scotland, Aug. 4, 1807 d. Belleville, Mich. June 17, 1873
Mary Templeton his wife, b. same place May 14, 1814 d. Belleville Mar. 13, 1912
Mary Jane Jan. 8, 1850 - Jun. 14, 1863
Anna Muir, Oct. 18, 1855 - July 29, 1878
Isabella, Jan. 30, 1853 - Mar. 23, 1881
Robert Andrew b. Otisville, Mich. Sept. 16, 1843 - Apr. 24, 1928

CAMPBELL James b. Ayrshire, Scotland, 1820 d. Mar. 28, 1842

ANDERSON Mathew d. Oct. 5, 1866 ae 46yrs 2mo 5days

TROCKS Jane Trocks 1823-1898

SMITH Anna Bell Anderson 1865-1881
Florence E., Oct. 2, 1880 - May 12, 1858
Monument: Benjamin H., May 20, 1831 - Feb. 7, 1905
Elizabeth, his wife, May 20, 1835 - Jan. 23, 1925
Benjamin H., C. A. 64 N. Y. Inf. G.A.R. Marker
Harley B., Sept. 10, 1877 - Sept. 6, 1881

WARREN Monument: Theodore, d. Sept. 19, 1897 ae 64 yrs
Rachel A. Warren, b. Mar. 20, 1840 d. Oct. 19, 1924

INGERSOLL Elias T., d. Oct. 20, 1900 ae 58yrs (name on Warren monument)

VAN LIEW Monument: Ida J. DeKay, wife of F. E. Van Liew Sept. 23, 1863 - Apr. 13, 1885

RENTON William, father, 1882-1957

VICK FAMILY BIBLE

Contributed by E. H. Rankin, Marquette, Mich.

This Bible, rebound, and in poor condition, was found at Drummond Island, Michigan. It was printed in Edinburgh by the Assigns of Alexander Kincaid, His Majesty's Printer, 1785. The owner is unknown.

At the end of the Old Testament (no location given):

William Vick	Born	June	5th	1783
James Vick	"	October(sic)	14th	1785
Mary Vick	"	August	31th	1785(sic)
Sarey Vick was	"	April	16	1791
Joseph Vick	"	June	16th	1794
George Vick	"	April	10	1797

At the beginning of the Apocrypha:

Edwin Robert Vick	Born	Oct. 16th	1867	Arthur James Vick	Born	Nov. 24th	1871
Carrie Rebecca Vick	"	March 1st	1869	Ann Cadwick	-	-	-

At the beginning of the New Testament:

Record of the Family of James Vick

William Vick	Born	January	25th	1814
Elizabeth Vick	"	January	18th	1816
James Vick	"	November	23rd	1818
Elizabeth Ann Vick	"	January	10th	1822
George Vick	"	February	10th	1825
Joseph Vick	"	October	15th	1827
Joseph Henry Vick	"	November	14th	1830
Charles Frederick Vick	"	October	17th	1833

EARLY MARRIAGE RECORDS OF COLES COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Contributed by Mrs. P. B. Davis, Charleston, Ill.
and Mrs. Wilson McTeer, Detroit, Mich.

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- Oct. 5, 1837 William C. Crawford & E. M. Winkler, by James T. Cunningham JP
Oct. 12, 1837 Moses Eaton & Nancy Woodall, by A. L. Hollis MG
Oct. 19, 1837 H. P. Laughlin & E. M. K. Newman, by David Winkler JP
Oct. 25, 1837 John B. Frost & Margaret McCullom, by William Ewing Esq
Oct. 30, 1837 Joseph N. Lewis & Mary Ann Bates, by J. M. Eastin JP
Nov. 2, 1837 Samuel F. Long & C. A. Graham, by George M. Hanson LD
Nov. 16, 1837 John Janes(Jones) & Louisa Martin, by A. L. Hollis MG
Dec. 7, 1837 Blain Matthews & Sally Jeffris, by James T. Cunningham JP
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- Dec. 31, 1837 Maple P. Smith & Margett Cissna, by Alexander Miller JP
Dec. 8, 1837 Tyre Hays & Matilda Baker, by David Campbell MG
Dec. 19, 1837 Abner Brown & Jane Glasscock, by A. L. Hollis MG
Jan. 2, 1838 James Veach & Gillico Mays, by John McDonald DM
Dec. 21, 1837 Reuben Coy & A. L. Thomas, by James T. Cunningham JP
Dec. 24, 1837 Nicholas Leming & Judy McGahan, by Stanley B. Walker MG
Dec. 24, 1837 Pleasant Vincent & Clarissa Golsby, by Samuel Hughs LD
Dec. 31, 1837 A. M. Wallace & Margaret Brown, by James M. Ward JP
Jan. 11, 1838 John Vandike & Margaret Hazelwood, by Alexander Miller JP
Jan. 11, 1838 Napoleon B. Combs & Susanah A. Pemberton, by David Winkler JP
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- Jan. 6, 1838 Birvil Miller & Charlotte Bresee, by William Stewart JP
Jan. 10, 1838 William Ashby & Sarah Ann Beavers, by E. D. Morris MG
Jan. 17, 1838 Peter Cournour & Sarah McGrew, by James M. Ward JP
Feb. 11, 1838 Rubin Barton & Martia Wilson, by Libbeus T. Coons MG
Feb. 8, 1838 John M. Foster & Elizabeth Dugger, by John Whitley JP
Feb. 8, 1838 Daniel J. Spoon & Polly McGrew, by James M. Ward JP
Feb. 6, 1838 Riele A.(?) Morrison & Mary A. Worley, by Clemme Goar PG
Feb. 15, 1838 Walter Beavers & Diana Moore, by James Shaw JP
Feb. 27, 1838 Davis Harris & Nancy Strader, by William Stewart JP
Mar. 4, 1838 A. I. Birch & Elizabeth Gordon, by John Doughty MG
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- Feb. 8, 1838 I. J. Connely & Arberry Walker, by Stanley B. Walker MG
(Date of license was Mar. 5, 1838, so Feb. must be an error)
Mar. 8, 1838 Jackson Stull & Mary Ann Howe, by David Dryden JP
Mar. 8, 1838 Daniel Miller & Rachel Janes(Jones), by Thomas Threlkeld MG
Mar. 15, 1838 John Clayton & Sarah Collins, by R. Canterbury JP
Mar. 10, 1838 William Sardorus & Polly Moore, by James Shaw JP
Mar. 14, 1838 John B. Prince & Phebe Cutler, by Samuel Hoge JP
Mar. 20, 1838 Alexander Peterson & Emily Allen, by J. M. Ward JP
Mar. 29, 1838 Madison Ingram & Eliza Tully, by Thomas Jeffris JP
Apr. 29, 1838 John Zavín & Elizabeth Canaway, by William Ewing JP
Apr. 3, 1838 John Baugher & Sarah O. Higginbotham, by David Dryden JP
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- Apr. 1, 1838 Isaac G. Parker & Mary Drisknill, by A. L. Hollis MG
Apr. 5, 1838 Johnston Woodrum & Eliza Black, by Stanley B. Walker MG
Apr. 8, 1838 George Carner & Nancy Auxer(Auker), by Charles Pennington --
Apr. 8, 1838 J. J. Pemberton & Clarinda Davis, by Samuel Hoge JP
Apr. 9, 1838 Silvester Washburn & Elamine Little, by N. Canterbury JP
Apr. 29, 1838 Stephen Lester & Mary Seass, by James Shaw JP
Apr. 29, 1838 James Martin & Amelia W. Ferry, by William Ewing JP
May 10, 1838 Nicholas Radley & Nancy Barker, by James Cunningham JP
May 18, 1838 Zachariah Collins & Eleanor Wallace, by R. Canterbury JP
July 24, 1838 James Brown & Kiggiah Peterson, by James M. Ward JP

May 30, 1838 Andrew Lake & Elizabeth Lake, by James M. Ward JP
 June 2, 1838 William L. Morris & Mary Stewart, by Esau D. Morris MG
 June 7, 1838 Solomon Fulfer & Polly McGrew, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 June 14, 1838 Edward Smith & Fanny Tutwiler, by Elza Nay MG
 June 10, 1838 Frederick Price & Lydia Bryant, by Ebenezer Alexander JP
 June 24, 1838 Barnabas Blue & Polly Brown, by Alexander Miller JP
 July 1, 1838 Gideon Edwards & Susannah D. True, by Thomas Threlkeld MG
 July 5, 1838 Jackson Baker & Polly Eaton, by Charles Pennington MG
 July 12, 1838 Cornelius Clayton & Anna Collins, by David Winkler JP
 July 21, 1838 John Toel(Teel) & Levicy Brister, by Thomas Jeffris JP

July 11, 1838 William J. Porter & Mary Ann Brooks, by E. D. Morris PG
 July 13, 1838 John Trainer & Elizabeth Matingly, by A. Miller JP
 July 26, 1838 William B. Bennett & Levina Curry, by Ebenezer Alexander JP
 July 25, 1838 William Hart & Louisey Coar, by James C. Cunningham JP
 Aug. 2, 1838 John P. Graham & Eleanor Marion, by David Winkler JP
 Aug. 2, 1838 Morton B. Anderson & Matilda Taylor, by A. P. Dunbar JP
 Aug. 16, 1838 R. C. Walker & Eleanor Flint, by Stanley B. Walker MG
 Aug. 9, 1838 William Arnold, Jun. & Frances Atkins, by John Shepherd MG
 Aug. 16, 1838 Henry Fewell & Peggy Fowler, by Abram L. Hollis MG
 Aug. 23, 1838 Samuel H. Rankin & Ann E. Shoemaker, by Thomas Threlkeld MG

Aug. 21, 1838 Daniel Michael & Serilda Schuler, by Thomas Threlkeld MG
 Aug. 28, 1838 James Kennedy & Mary Lumbrick, by Abram L. Hollis MG
 Sept. 2, 1838 John L. Barry & Elizabeth Howard, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 Sept. 7, 1838 A. C. Brower & Margaret E. Hussey, by Lebius T. Coon MG
 Sept. 6, 1838 R. B. Aims & Charlotte Oliver, by Thomas Threlkeld MG
 Sept. 9, 1838 Lewis B. White & Hannah D. Moore, by J. M. Eastin JP
 Sept. 20, 1838 John Ganaway & Nancy Zion, by
 Oct. 2, 1838 John Terrell & Rebecca Sullivan, by J. M. Eastin JP
 Oct. 11, 1838 Samuel Mundell & Mary Archer, by Samuel Hoge JP
 Nov. 1, 1838 John Ervin & Caroline Wilson, by A. L. Hollis MG

Oct. 18, 1838 George Kincaide & Clarissa West, by David Winkler JP
 Oct. 25, 1838 William Olmsted & Clarissa ---, by W. D. Watson MG
 Oct. 25, 1838 James P. Wheeler & Elizabeth Dobbs, by James M. Ward JP
 Nov. 15, 1838 Meredith B. Ross & Christena Beals, by James M. Ward JP
 Nov. 1, 1838 Oliver H. Beals & Amanda P. Horton, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 Nov. 7, 1838 Caleb Beals & Lucinda Hanson, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 Nov. 6, 1838 William Ferris & Elizabeth Kunkle, by Frederick Shoot MG
 Nov. 29, 1838 Thomas Everett & Mary P. Eaton, by Samuel Hoge JP
 Dec. 16, 1838 Joseph Goodman & Elizabeth Gilbert, by Frederick Shoot MG
 Dec. 27, 1838 Elijah P. Connely & Rebecca Stewart, by E. D. Morris MG

Jan. 3, 1839 Jacob Cottenham & Frances Mann, by William Stewart JP
 Jan. 15, 1839 Morgan Dryden & Sarah McNight, by John Doughty MG
 Jan. 24, 1839 Enoch Henry & Amilia Rawlins, by J. M. Ward JP
 Jan. 24, 1839 Elijah Hays & Juliana Newell, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 Jan. 17, 1839 John Bolin & Elizabeth Bilcher, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 Jan. 31, 1839 Frederick Hillbun & Sarah Goodwin, by James M. Ward JP
 Jan. 24, 1839 Thomas H. Ellis & Rebecca Fuller, by G. M. Hanson LD
 Jan. 24, 1839 William Carter & Matilda Ann Nash, by E. Alexander JP
 Jan. 31, 1839 Richard Walker & Sophia Fuquay, by Joel Connelly JP

 Jan. 31, 1839 Benjamin Milterdam & Martha Ann Harris, by William D. Watson MG
 Jan. 31, 1839 John Hodge & Clarinda Smith, by William Stewart JP
 Jan. 31, 1839 Daniel J. White & Mariah White, by William Ewing JP
 Mar. 7, 1839 James M. Powell & Ann Noland, by James Shaw JP
 Feb. 14, 1839 William Williams & Sarah Brewer, by W. D. Watson MG
 Feb. 14, 1839 Eatton Bagley & Candes Head, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 Feb. 14, 1839 Wilcox Newell & Harriet Shores, by Thomas Jeffris JP

- Page 50 Feb. 14, 1839 Robert Miller & Rebecca C. Barrackman, by Joseph Wampler --
 & 51 Feb. 24, 1839 Philip Shaffer & Mary Spoon, by James Ewart JP
 (cont'd) Feb. 17, 1839 Isam Mansor & Hannah Higginbotham, by John Chamberlain MG
- Page 52 Feb. 21, 1839 Ames Barrass & Rebecca Hollensbeck, by James W. Jones JP
 Feb. 21, 1839 Jesse Strader & Mary Ann Strader, by William Stewart JP
 Feb. 21, 1839 John Beard & Clarissa Hodge, by William Stewart JP
 Feb. 21, 1839 Daniel McAllister & Mary Ann Ashmore, by F. Shoot MG
 Feb. 23, 1839 Eliza Biggs & Elizabeth Wadkins, by F. Shoot MG
 Feb. 26, 1839 Robert Mount & Sarah Ann Craig, by James Ashmore MG
 Mar. 5, 1839 Issachar Davis & Sarah Channy, by David Winkler JP
 Mar. 3, 1839 Jacob Houts & Saquinda Porter, by William Stewart JP
 Mar. 7, 1839 Patrick Disney & Mahalia Garland, by R. Canterbury JP
- Page 53 Mar. 14, 1839 James Ballinger & Eleanor Seals, by James Shaw JP
 Mar. 22, 1839 Charles Cox & Mahala Daugherty, by Samuel Hoge JP
 Mar. 20, 1839 John Nichols & Jemima Arnold, by S. B. Walker MG
 Mar. 24, 1839 John Parker & Polly Heath, by A. L. Hollis MG
 Mar. 28, 1839 Smith Riley & Mary Kirkley, by James Ewart JP
 Mar. 26, 1839 Thomas Dowling & Sarah Jane Hanks, by J. M. Eastin JP
 Mar. 26, 1839 William Austin & Rebecca Woodall, by A. L. Hollis MG
 Mar. 29, 1839 Leavin E. Cartwright & Susannah Myers, by William Stewart JP
 Apr. 7, 1839 Seelge Hays & Candes C. Head, by Thomas Jeffris JP
 Apr. 11, 1839 John Meadows & Charity Brewer, by W. D. Watson MG
- Page 54 Apr. 8, 1839 Andrew Ansley & Elizabeth Bell, by William Stewart JP
 Apr. 11, 1839 Eli Wood & Elizabeth Bowlin, by James Ewart JP
 Apr. 20, 1839 John Waltrip & Susannah Williams, by A. L. Hollis MG
 Apr. 14, 1839 Martin Gilbert & Catharine Smith, by Samuel S. Pepper MG
 Apr. 14, 1839 Edmund W. (?) True & Mary E. Jones, by Thomas Threlkeld MG
 Apr. 21, 1839 Jeremiah Huxton & Prudence Barham, by David Barham MG
 Apr. 21, 1839 Hiram Noland & Rachel Dixon, by G. M. Hanson MG
 Apr. 17, 1839 Moses Nordyke & Frances Frost, by Thomas Threlkeld MG
 Apr. 22, 1839 Edward Traxel & Rebecca Wells, by David Winkler JP
 Apr. 25, 1839 William J. Dixon & Eliza Ann West, by W. D. Watson MG
- Page 55 May 2, 1839 James Calbreath & Martha H. Mitchell, by E. Pettegrew MG
 May 2, 1839 Moses Armsted & Rebecca Comer, by Joel Connely JP
 May 20, 1839 David M. McGrew & Acenith Tutly, by James M. Ward JP
 May 21, 1839 Samuel Radley & Malinda Williams, by D. Williams MG
 May 10, 1839 Robert K. Evans & Matilda Evinger, by E. Pettegrew MG
 May 6, 1839 Anthony Cox & Eliza Fuquay, by J. M. Eastin JP
 May 23, 1839 David Hoots & Bashaby Whitly, by Hawkins Fuller JP
 May 19, 1839 Henry Whipple & Elizabeth Hord, by John Doughty MG
 May 28, 1839 William Miller & Eleanor E. Hite, by John A. Hite --
 May 21, 1839 Andrew C. Mitchell & Mary Ann Cram, by Amos Wiley MG
- Page 56 May 21, 1839 Joseph McGrew & Darcus Tully, by J. M. Ward JP
 May 30, 1839 Robert E. C. Williams & Mary Ann Vanmatre, by Thomas Threlkeld MG
 June 2, 1839 George W. Gilbert & Narcissa Morris, by E. Morris MG
 June 17, 1839 James W. Miller & Sally Morgan, by William Wallace JP
 June 6, 1839 Abraham Veach & Eliza W. Jones, by A. L. Hollis MG
 June 13, 1839 William H. Brown & Emily N. Beck, by J. Connely JP
 June 13, 1839 William Shoot & Sarah Baldwin, by William Stewart JP
 June 16, 1839 James Stinson & Jane Hulin, by Samuel S. Pepper MG
 July 17, 1839 William B. Dunn & Judith Ann M. Barham, by D. Barham MG
 June 23, 1839 Charles H. P. Bryant & Matilda Williams, by R. Canterbury JP
- Page 57 June 27, 1839 Gideon Henson & Emma Laffler, by A. P. Dunbar JP
 June 30, 1839 Artemas Whipple & Betsy Channy, by R. Canterbury JP
 July 2, 1839 Amos Wiley & Sarah M. Leland, by William D. Watson MG

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July 4, 1839 Edward Preston & Clarissa M. Ames, by E. Pettegrew MG
July 18, 1839 George Hodge & Rachel Vestil, by William Stewart JP
July 21, 1839 Walker Stewart & Betsey Cox, by E. D. Morris MG
July 27, 1839 Henry Rabe & Easter Chadd, by William Wallace JP
Aug. 1, 1839 William Taylor & Mahala Clark, by Samuel Hoge JP
July 30, 1839 Anderson Elmore & Margaret G. Modrell, by Samuel Hoge JP
Aug. 5, 1839 John Campbell & Elizabeth Kennedy, by Thomas Jeffris JP

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Aug. 8, 1839 Harrison Ingram & Delila Ingram, by Thomas Jeffris JP
Aug. 7, 1839 Jonathan Humbert & Leana Hart, by John M. Eastin JP
Aug. 8, 1839 William Luby & Jane Brown, by James M. Ward JP
Aug. 20, 1839 John T. Hendricks & Sarah Threlkeld, by B. W. Henry --
Aug. 25, 1839 William Simms & Elizabeth Owings, by Hawkins Fuller JP
Aug. 22, 1839 James H. Morrison & Sarah Caroline Allison, by John McDonald DM
Sept. 6, 1839 James B. Wall & Frances Kirkling, by James Ewart JP
Sept. 10, 1839 John Richman & Nancy Jane McDowell, by John W. Hawkins JP
Sept. 6, 1839 Cortland Vandyke & Elizabeth Webster, by James M. Ward JP
Sept. 10, 1839 Nathaniel Warren & Nancy Greer, by John Keran DD

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Sept. 12, 1839 Robert G. Thrasher & Margaret Souseley, by Frederick Shoot MG
Sept. 26, 1839 William Kirkling & Nancy Brown, by James Ewart JP
Sept. 26, 1839 Joel Scott & Belinda Davisson, by Samuel Hoge JP
Sept. 23, 1839 T. H. Odell & Mary Jane Yeocum, by J. Harlan, Judge of Circuit Ct
Sept. 23, 1839 Jacob K. Decker & Mary A. Morton, by J. Harlan, Judge of Circuit Ct
Oct. 3, 1839 William Duty & Belinda Earl, by R. Canterbury JP

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Oct. 24, 1839 James M. Doke & Lucretia Channy, by Abram G. Hollis PG
Oct. 24, 1839 Nathan H. Roberts & Jane E. Dukes, by E. Pettegrew MG
Oct. 24, 1839 Peyton I. Goss & Mary Ann Dukes, by E. Pettegrew MG
Oct. 29, 1839 John Trior & Faithy Champion, by Clemme Goar PG
-- - -- John L. Nicholas & Mary Jane Duncan, by --- (no return --
marriage license, dated Oct. 20, 1839)
Nov. 6, 1839 George Higginbotham & Zarelda Baugher, by James Ashmore MG
Nov. 10, 1839 Hiram Boyd & Clarissa McIntosh, by E. Alexander JP
Nov. 19, 1839 Granvill Neel & Julia M. Barnett, by James Gill JP
Nov. 21, 1839 Jacob Fickes & Mary Ann Beal, by Thomas Jeffris Esq
Nov. 26, 1839 Robert M. Petty & Mary Anderson, by Daniel Barham PG

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Nov. 28, 1839 Meredith Hazelwood & Elizabeth Green, by William Allison --
Dec. 1, 1839 Alfred Sumner & Bertha Fuqua, by Stanley B. Walker MG
Dec. 5, 1839 Hugh Cowan & Cintha Beck, by James Graham LD
Dec. 3, 1839 Hugh A. Blakeney & Catharine Martin, by J. Goodman MG
Dec. 5, 1839 John M. Balch & Elizabeth A. Campbell, by John McDonald DM
Dec. 14, 1839 James Wheat & Martha A. Mitchell, by E. D. Morris MG
Dec. 25, 1839 Darias Whipple & Telitha Hulin, by William Walker JP
Dec. 19, 1839 Archibald M. Henry & Elizabeth Stoddert, by P. H. Odell JP
Dec. 24, 1839 Hillary Forgy & Polly Baugher, by James Gill Esq
Dec. 5, 1839 Hillary L. Burson & Julian M. Ashmore, by John M. Woods MG
Dec. 26, 1839 Allen Campbell & Mary Ann Hoots, by Isaac Gruwell Esq

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Jan. 5, 1840 William Barnes & May Higgins, by David Campbell JP
Jan. 5, 1840 Reason Howard & Nancy Lefler (Lesler), by Robert N. Alexander JP
Jan. 6, 1840 Robert Gill & Nancy Neel, by James Gill JP
Jan. 7, 1840 John M. Rogers & Susan Porter, by James Gill JP
Jan. 14, 1840 James D. Austin & Delilah Jane Boyers, by James Ashmore MG
Jan. 16, 1840 Reuben Daniels & Mary Shelton, by Samuel C. Ashmore JP
Feb. 4, 1840 David B. Phillips & Mary Wheat, by E. D. Morris MG
Jan. 16, 1840 John Cooper & Nancy Bell, by William Walker JP
Jan. 18, 1840 William Wilson & Susan Gillet, by Daniel Barham MG
Jan. 23, 1840 Thomas Fowler & Mary Letner, by Abram Hollis PG

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STEWART FAMILY RECORDS

Contributed by Mrs. Kate Johnston, Marquette, Mich.

These records are written on pages which were taken from an unknown Bible and are now in the possession of Mrs. Kate (Stewart) Johnston, Marquette, Michigan.

MARRIAGES

Frances Amelia Holden to Edwin Stewart at Marshall, Michigan	12 Nov 1852
Nelson Eldred Stewart to Mattie McClellan at West Branch, Iowa	24 Sept 1884
Edwin Lionel Stewart to Kittie Locker at Kendallville, Indiana	9 May 1888

BIRTHS

Edwin Stewart at Cambria, Niagara County, New York	28 Apr 1819
Frances Amelia Holden at Arlington, Vermont	10 Oct 1834
Alma Stewart at Mendon, St. Joseph County, Michigan	25 Apr 1860
Nelson Eldred Stewart at Mendon, Michigan	29 Aug 1861
Edwin Lionel Stewart at Mendon, Michigan	9 July 1866

DEATHS

Alma Stewart at Mendon, Michigan	14 May 1860
Nelson E. Stewart at Mendon, Michigan	30 Apr 1888
Edwin Stewart at Mendon, Michigan	7 Mar 1895
Edwin L. Stewart at Marquette, Michigan	7 Oct 1926

MISCELLANEOUS

Edna Dolores Stewart, dau. of Nelson, b. Sturgis, Michigan	12 Dec 1885
Harry L. Stewart, son of Nelson, b. Mendon, Michigan, 10 Aug. 1887; died	30 Nov 1887
Katie L. Stewart, dau. of Edwin & Kittie, b. Elmira, Michigan	24 Jan 1889
Nelson Edwin Stewart, son of Edwin & Kittie, b. Elmira, Michigan	19 Nov 1890
Nelson Stewart Johnson, son of Kate Stewart Johnson, b. Chicago, Illinois	6 Apr 1915
Ruth Suzanne Johnson, b. at St. Paul, Minnesota	27 July 1916
Theodore Roosevelt Johnson b. at Minneapolis, Minnesota	3 July 1918
Marcha Lee Stewart	- - --
Donald Grant Stewart born	4 Dec 1918
Barbara Lee Stewart born	26 Jan --

DEATHS

John Holden	13 Nov 1878	Edwin Lionel Stewart	- - --
Laura Canfield	22 June 1828	Alma Stewart	16 May 1860
Phebe Webster	22 Sept 1877	Katy Lavilla Stewart	- - --
Sarah Holden Eldred	11 Apr 1900	Nelson Edwin Stewart	- - --
John Noble Holden	30 Aug 1838	Roy Wilson	- - --
Briel Webster Holden	7 Mar 1833	Holden Thomas Husted	- - --
Frances Amelia Holden	- - --	Aggie Adele Husted	- - --
Clarissa Adel Holden	5 Nov 1906	Hiram Fayette Husted	- - --
Phebe Malvina Holden	20 Feb 1891	Harley Hayes Husted	14 Jan 1907(?)
Nelson Eldred Stewart	30 Apr 1888	Edna Dolores Stewart	14 Apr 1906
Harry Stewart	30 Nov 1887	at West Branch, Iowa	

BIRTHS

John Holden	3 May 1801	Briel Webster Holden	11 Feb 1833
Laura Hard	- - 1799	Frances Amelia Holden	10 Oct 1834
Phebe Webster	22 Feb 1811	Clarissa Adel Holden	18 Apr 1836
Sarah Holden	9 Feb 1826	Phebe Malvina Holden	18 Mar 1844
John Noble Holden	2 June 1828	An infant son	- Aug 1848

MISCELLANEOUS

Edna Dolores Stewart, dau. of Nelson E. Stewart, b. Sturgis, Michigan	12 Dec 1885
Harry Stewart, son of Nelson E. Stewart, b. Mendon, Michigan	10 Aug 1887
Katy Lavilla Stewart, dau. of Edwin L. Stewart, b. Elmira, Michigan	24 Jan 1889
Nelson Edwin Stewart, b. Elmira, Michigan	19 Nov 1890

Willard Holden Eldred, b. Climax, Michigan	23 Apr 1855
Nelson Brownell Eldred, b. Climax, Michigan	15 Sept 1858
Alma Stewart, b. Mendon, Michigan	25 Apr 1860
Nelson Eldred Stewart, b. Mendon, Michigan	29 Aug 1861
Edwin Lionel Stewart, born	9 July 1866
Roy F. Wilson, son of Levi & Clarra(?) Holden Wilson, b.	19 June 1872

MARRIAGES

John Holden & Laura Canfield at Arlington, Vermont	9 Sept 1824
John Holden & Phebe Webster at Arlington, Vermont	2 May 1831
Sarah Holden & Nelson Eldred at Climax, Michigan	14 Nov 1848
Frances Amelia Holden & Dr. Edwin Stewart at Marshall, Michigan	12 Nov 1852
Clarissa Adel Holden & Levi Y. Wilson at Climax, Michigan	28 Aug 1859
Phebe Malvina Holden & Hiram F. Husted at Climax, Michigan	29 Sept 1859
Nelson Eldred Stewart to Mattie McClellan at West Branch, Iowa	24 Sept 1884
Edwin Lionel Stewart to Kittie Locker at Kendallville, Indiana	9 May 1888
Edna D. Stewart to Alton Yetter(?) at West Branch, Iowa	- - 1805(?)

DEATHS

Laura Holden at Arlington, Vermont	22 June 1828
Briel Webster Holden, oldest son of John & Phebe Holden at Arlington, Vt.	7 Mar 1833
John Noble Holden, oldest son of John & Laura Holden at ---, Michigan	30 Aug 1838
An infant son, youngest of John & Phebe Holden at Climax, Michigan	- Aug 1848
Alma Stewart, oldest child of Edwin & Amelia Stewart	14 May 1860
Nelson Brownell Eldred, second son of Nelson & --- Eldred at Climax, Mich.	8 Jan 1867
Phebe Webster Holden, wife of John Holden at Mendon, Michigan	22 Sept 1877
John Holden at Troy, New York; buried at Mendon, Michigan	13 Nov 1878
Nelson Eldred Stewart at Mendon, Michigan	30 Apr 1888
Harry Stewart at Mendon, Michigan	30 Nov 1887

The following records were inscribed on the front flyleaves of a Bible published by the American Bible Society, New York, 1892. It is now in the possession of Mrs. Kate Johnston, Marquette, Michigan. The Bible belonged to Mrs. Johnston's mother, Kitty (Locker) Stewart (1868-1929).

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E. A. Locker, born	4 Dec 1832	Kittie Stewart	10 May 1868
S. A. Locker, born	24 Apr 1836	Lamont Locker	14 Feb 1870
Minnie Holden	10 Sept 1858	Della Blanchard	21 Mar 1872

E. A. Locker & Sarah Wolf married by Wm. Barney	22 Nov 1857
Cloudsly Holden & Minnie Locker married by Rev. Bowman	4 July 1880
Edwin Stewart & Kitty Locker married by Wm. Simons	10 May 1888
Lamont Locker & Hattie Newman married by Rev. Coverstone	- June 1891
Arthur Blanchard & Dilla Locker Married (date destroyed by dog-earing)	- - -

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Alta Helm	17 Apr 1877	Johnnie Helm	30 Apr 1904
John Helm	3 May 1869	C. M. Holden	10 Sept 1855
Edna Helm	26 Nov 1894	E. L. Stewart	9 July 1866
Cecil Helm	12 Apr 1897	Arthur W. Blanchard	2 Jan 1870
Gertie Helm	4 Nov 1900	Hattie Newman	3 Oct 1869
Virgil Helm	13 July 1902		

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Arthur Holden	1 Apr 1881	Kate Stewart	24 Jan 1889
Vera Holden	15 Aug 1884	Nelson Stewart	19 Nov 1890
Clayton Blanchard	11 Sept 1895	Edmund Locker	5 Sept 1892
Taletha Blanchard	4 Feb 1900	Tracy Locker	21 July 1896
Durbin Blanchard	30 Jan 1903	Warren Locker	19 Sept 1898
Dellelle Blanchard	14 Sept 1904	Frank Locker	2 Apr 1899
Wava Blanchard	4 Sept 1906	Arthur Locker	20 Aug 1903
Dorothy Blanchard	6 Feb 1911		

The above people were born and probably married in and around Kendallville, Indiana

MISCELLANEOUS CARDS, NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS, AND NOTES FOUND IN THE ABOVE BIBLE:

"In Remembrance, Elsworth Lamont Locker, born Feb. 14, 1870." (Death and burial, San Diego, California)

ON A SCRAP OF PAPER:

Edwin L. Stewart	9 July 1866	7 Oct 1926
Kittie L. Stewart	10 May 1869	8 Oct 1929
Nelson E. Stewart	19 Nov 1890	- Apr 1941
Ina J. Ocha	12 July 1902	14 May 1950

"In Remembrance, Mrs. Dilla Locker Blanchard, born Mar. 21, 1872; died July 16, 1958." (Place of interment, "Orange Cemetery," Kendallville, Indiana)

ON A SCRAP OF PAPER:

I. E. Allen	was born	3 Sept 1850	Will W. Allen	was born	17 Feb 1875
Lydia Allen	"	18 Feb 1849	Herbert J. Allen	"	18 Oct 1877
George H. Allen	"	15 May 1873	Merwin L. Allen	"	9 May 1880

"There you have the whole famile(sic)."

"Bernie (Wills Girl) was fifteen the 3d day of last Dec and Loren was twelve the 7th of June." (sic)

AN UNDATED OBITUARY - Probably from the Mining Journal, Marquette, Michigan:

"Edmund A. Locker, of Kendallville, Ind., died in Marquette July 13. He was born at Newark, Essex Co., N. J., Dec. 4, 1832. He was married to Sarah A. Wolf Nov. 22, 1857."

From The Mendon Weekly Globe (Michigan) - Friday, May 4, 1888: "STEWART, Nelson Eldred, eldest son of Dr. Edwin Stewart died 30 April 1888, ae 26 yrs 8 mos 1 day."

UNKNCWN SOURCE:

STEWART, Dr. Edwin, born 28 April 1819 at Camria, Niagara County, New York, died 7 March 1896 ae 77 years, eldest of 9 children. Moved to Kalamazoo, (Michigan) in 1840. Graduated in 1850 from Rush Medical College, Chicago, Illinois. Married Frances Amelia Holden. Survived by one son, Edwin Stewart.

From the Mining Journal, Marquette, Michigan, 8 Oct. 1926:

STEWART, Edwin L., died Thursday A. M.; born July 9, 1866 at Mendon, Michigan. Moved to Marquette in 1897. Married Kitty Locker. Survived by Mrs. Kate Stewart Johnston and Nelson E. Stewart (who died ca 27 April 1941).

BIBLE RECORD OF DEODATUS AND HARRIET BYE

Contributed by Jessie M. Abbott, Saginaw, Mich.

This English Bible was found in an empty house in Saginaw, Michigan in 1921 and is now in the possession of Miss Jessie M. Abbott of Saginaw.

The Bible was printed in 1683 and includes the Apocrypha. The leather cover, badly worn, was originally very fine and gold-tooled. The spine has individual letters and words glued on, reading as follows:

ROBERT
AND

JOSEPH

LATTIMER
1744

The following record is on a sheet of paper pasted inside the front cover of the Bible:
 "Name and Dates of Births of the Children of Deodatus and Harriet Bye of Scarborough"

Deodatus and Harriet Bye were married Jan. 13, 1799.

Deodatus Henry, born Jan. 5, 1800	Thomas born 9 Mar. 1811
James " Jan. 17, 1802	John " 18 Feb. 1813
Anne " Dec. 21, 1803	Samuel " 16 Mar. 1815
Harriet " Sept. 12, 1803(?) Died	Elizabeth " 6 Mar. 1817
Joseph " June 6, 1808	Mary Jane " 4 Nov. 1821

died July 19, 1820

Harriet Bye, mother of the above children, Born Dec. 28, 1778
 and died 9th January 1827, aged 48 years.

Children of James and Mary Bye, Badgeryard, St. John's Square:

(1) Mary, born Mar. 10, 1802 (2) Elizabeth, born Feb. 18, 1804

Mr. James Bye, father of the above-named two children, died Jan. 1, 1817"

The above is copied just as it appears in the handwriting of various persons.

Inside the Bible was a Swedenborgian pamphlet The Medium, printed in Detroit, Michigan with an item carrying additional genealogical information: "Married, at Detroit on Saturday, August 16 by Rev. Jabez Fox, Mr. Charles Lee, Jun. and Miss Charlotte Bye." The pamphlet date is August 15, 1851. Also in the Bible was a receipt dated Sept. 13, 1854 issued to Mr. Chas. Lee for advertising from November 20, 1853 to November 20, 1854. The receipt was issued by E. A. Wales for The Detroit Daily Advertiser.

The printer's announcement between the Old and New Testaments is also interesting and reads as follows: "OXFORD, Printed at the THEATER, and are to be sold by Moses Pitt, at the Angel in St. Paul's Churchyard, Peter Parker, at the Leg and Star over against the Royal Exchange in Cornhil, Thomas Guy, at the Oxford Arms on the west side of the Royal Exchange, Ann Leake over against Dean Street in Fetter-lane, LONDON. MDCLXXXIII."

DAVID PATTON BIBLE RECORDS

Contributed by Flossie Davis Konopack, Lockport, Illinois

Records from the Holy Bible, containing the Old and New Testaments, published in Philadelphia and printed by M. Carey, No. 121 Chestnut Street in 1815.

Map on one side, on the back of which is written: Dave Patton's Bible, bought September (date illegible). Price \$7.00.

MARRIAGES

Dave Patton & his wife Abigail were married	December 2, 1794
John Patton & his wife Jane were married	October 18, 1825
Joseph H. Patton & his wife Amanda were married	June 5, 1834
James Lewis & his wife Lydia were married	August 7, 1834

BIRTHS

David Patton was born	March 16, 1772
Abigail, his wife, was born	June 13, 1776
Elizabeth Patton, 1st daughter was born	May 6, 1796
John Stoten Patton, 1st son was born	November 15, 1798
Christopher D. Patton, 2nd son was born	June 7, 1801
Jacob M. Patton, 3rd son was born	January 30, 1803
William Patton, 4th son was born	November 26, 1806
Robeson M. Patton, 5th son was born	October 4, 1808
J. Henry Patton, 6th son was born	July 30, 1811
Sarah Ann Patton, 2nd daughter was born	April 8, 1815
Lydia Patton, 3rd daughter was born	October 2, 1818
Mary Jane Lewis, granddaughter was born	January 29, 1850

DEATHS

William Patton died November 12, 1807	John Stoten Patton departed this life September 28, 1835
David Patton died September 17, 1821	Elizabeth Kemp departed this life September 30, 1836
	Abigail Patton departed this life August 23, 1841

In the Baker Cemetery, Dayton, Sheffield Township, Tippicanoe County, Indiana are these gravestones:

John S. Patton died Sept. 28, 1835 aged 36 years

Jane, his wife died Nov. 22, 1839 aged 32 years

In Tract Book, Lafayette, Tippicanoe County, Indiana are these land entries:

Patton, John S.	80 acres	May 3, 1827	T 22 N R 3 W 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ N. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 10
Patton, John S.	40 acres	July 3, 1832	T 22 N R 3 W 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 3
Patton, Joseph Henry	40 acres	Sept. 18, 1832	T 22 N R 3 W 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 3

Taken from the Holy Bible containing The Old and New Testaments, Translated Out of the Original Tongues, etc., stereotyped by James Connor, New York, published by B. Waugh and T. Mason for the Methodist Episcopal Church at the Conference Office, 200 Mulberry Street, J. Collard, Printer, 1834.

This Bible was used by Joseph Henry Patton and his wife, Amanda (Busey) Patton of Tippicanoe County, Indiana until her death in 1896, when it was passed to their eldest daughter, Teresa (Patton) Davis who also made entries into the Bible until her death in 1910. It was then passed to her sister, Elizabeth (Patton) Davis, wife of Joel Davis of Clinton County, Indiana. The Bible is now in the possession of Flossie (Davis) Konopack, granddaughter of Joel and Elizabeth (Patton) Davis.

BIRTHS

J. Henry Patton, 6th son was born	July 30th 1811
His wife, Amanda Busey Patton was born	June 8th 1816
(Amanda was the 1st daughter of George Busey & Tressa Fancher, who were married in 1815.)	
Robeson Patton, 1st son was born	September 30th 1835
Teresa Patton, 1st daughter was born	November 8th 1836
Elizabeth Patton, 2nd daughter was born	December 14th 1839
Samuel Patton, 2nd son was born	October 9th 1841
George Patton, 3rd son was born	January 16th 1844
Edmond Bartholomew was born	January 9th 1850
William Loveless--2nd husband of Teresa (Patton) Davis--was born	July 12th 1815
Abraham Davis, husband of Teresa Patton, was born	December 22nd 1828
Julia Davis, 1st daughter was born	April 28th 1857
Rufus Henry Davis, 1st son was born	January 31st 1859
George Alva Loveless was born	September 9th 1871
Nellie Loveless was born - weight 3 pounds	September 15th 1874
Nora Loveless was born	October 12th 1876
Henry Lee Davis was born (died in infancy)	March 9th 1881
Joel Davis--husband of Elizabeth Patton--was born in Ross Co., Ohio	September 23rd 1825
(See "A DAVIS BIBLE RECCRD FROM INDIANA", DSCR Magazine, Spring Issue, Vol. 23, No. 3, p. 130.)	

MARRIAGES

Joseph Henry Patton and his wife, Amanda Busey were married	June 5th 1834
William Bartholomew and Amanda Patton were married	February 4th 1849
Teresa Patton and Abraham Davis were married	September 4th 1856
Elizabeth Patton and Joel Davis were married	March 15th 1857
William Loveless and Teresa Davis were married	February 21st 1867
John W. Milligan and Julia Davis were married	September 13th 1874
Rufus Henry Davis and Stella Purdum were married	June 26th 1904

DEATHS

Our father, Joseph Henry Patton died	- - 1847	William Loveless died	June 4 1876
Edmond T. Bartholomew died	Oct 28 1865	Nellie Loveless died	Aug 12 1875
Amanda Bartholomew, our mother died	Feb 20 1896	George Alva Loveless died	Mar 18 1876
William Bartholomew died	July 28 1897	Lida Davis died	Apr 6 1882
Tressa Loveless died	- - 1910	Rufus Henry Davis died	July 4 1950
Robeson Patton died	Sept 8 1838	ae 91 in Kansas City, Missouri	
Abraham Davis died	Mar 30 1866		

GIVE AND TAKE

Helen Moulton Meanwell

BEGINNERS' GUIDES

Because a number of requests have been received asking for information about books on genealogical research or the so-called "beginners' guides", the members of the Editorial Staff of The Detroit Society for Genealogical Research Magazine were asked to review a number of these books. The comments below on each book represent the composite viewpoint of the members of the Editorial Staff. Not everyone read each book, but enough people read and reviewed enough books that we hope the opinions expressed will be of interest to you.

Gilbert H. Doane's SEARCHING FOR YOUR ANCESTORS was first published in 1937, revised in 1948 and revised again in 1960. It may be secured from The University of Minnesota Press, Minneapolis 14 for \$3.95. Dr. Doane's book is probably the most popular introduction to genealogy for the amateur. It is the standard "how-to" book, with much of the material drawn from Doane experience, much of it in New England. It is so well written that many points may be missed in the first reading, as the student becomes engrossed in the story and just keeps reading. The appendix contains bibliographies for the eastern states and military records and so forth. The fact that Dr. Doane was recently chosen to succeed the late Dr. Adams as Editor of The New England Historical Genealogical Register attests to his scholarship and reputation.

Oscar F. Stetson's THE ART OF ANCESTOR HUNTING was published in 1936 and is still available for purchase at \$5.00. One opinion was expressed that Stetson had been most helpful to that particular amateur in helping her to organize her family record sheets and charts. It is being reprinted by the publisher, as needed, but has not been revised.

Evan L. Reed's WAYS AND MEANS OF IDENTIFYING ANCESTORS was also published in 1936 but is no longer available except through such sources as Goodspeed or the Genealogical Book Company. One copy was purchased recently at \$10.00. However, it is quite likely to be available in a library, where the amateur may profit from reviewing or studying this book. It contains maps showing county outlines, with additional data on dates of organization, etc.; some reading lists; charts by generations; examples of research; and many factual suggestions. It is not an easy book to read, due to the combination of printing processes. However, it is one to keep in mind, after other books have failed to give "the" answer.

D. D. Parker's LOCAL HISTORY: HOW TO GATHER IT, WRITE IT AND PUBLISH IT was published in 1944 and was purchased, paper-bound, for one dollar. This book is helpful but not essential. As its title indicates, it was written for the local historian and not for the genealogist. However, some ideas have been presented which can be useful to a genealogical searcher.

The above titles were all issued many years ago. Dr. Doane's SEARCHING FOR YOUR ANCESTORS is the only one that has been kept up-to-date. It is recommended highly.

A second group is comprised of books published primarily for members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, whose interest in and contributions to genealogy are too well known to detail here. Several books by several authors were studied, but only those are noted which are of genealogical interest. Whether the emphasis is on the identity of ancestors or the compiling of a genealogy of one family from the immigrant down the techniques and approaches suggested are applicable by any searcher. Included in the group are ...

Archibald F. Bennett's GUIDE FOR GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH (1951), FINDING YOUR FOREFATHERS IN AMERICA (1957), and ADVANCED GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH (1959) were all written from his experience as librarian for the big library of The Genealogical Society of Utah, which is located in Salt Lake City. Dr. Bennett has used case histories to present his suggestions. He has also included call numbers for the records cited from the Genealogical Society's library, which the reader must learn to disregard when using materials in other libraries. These books are priced at \$2.25, \$4.00 and \$2.75 respectively.

Everton Publishers of 526 North Main St., Logan, Utah, issue the well-known Genealogical Helper, a quarterly periodical, whose fall number is the Annual Exchange Edition. They are also the publishers of THE HANDY BOOK FOR GENEALOGISTS, originally published in a paper-bound edition for \$1.00, but now in hard covers for \$2.50. THE HANDY BOOK is noteworthy for its maps showing county boundaries and the tabulated data on these governmental units, dates of organization, parent counties, county seats, etc. Most people who own a HANDY BOOK say they wouldn't be without it.

Everton and Rasmuson also compiled THE NEW HOW BOOK FOR GENEALOGISTS. At one time, this was available for less than a dollar, paper bound. Recently, it has been "improved" with a plastic cover and costs \$1.50. Most reviewers found the information already available in other sources, as well as this one.

E. Kay Kirkham published THE ABC'S OF AMERICAN GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH in 1954 (\$1.75) and the more ambitious RESEARCH IN AMERICAN GENEALOGY, in 1956 which sells for \$4.00. The latter has reprinted information on counties and on census schedules by states from out-of-print publications, which is not available elsewhere. Mr. Kirkham also authored a SURVEY OF AMERICAN CHURCH RECORDS, covering only the area east of the Mississippi River. This is quite apt to be found in a genealogical library.

Noel C. Stevenson is the compiler of two books, SEARCH AND RESEARCH, and THE GENEALOGICAL READER. SEARCH AND RESEARCH was originally published in 1951 and when the second edition came out in 1959, it had undergone quite thorough revision. It sells for \$2.95 and can be described as a guide to records and library sources, state by state. THE GENEALOGICAL READER reprints articles published in other books and magazines and sold for \$2.50. One party was informed that it is now out of print.

Derek Harland is the author of RESEARCH PROCEDURE AND EVALUATION OF EVIDENCE, published as volume II of "A Basic Course in Genealogy" in 1959. This has been particularly recommended for its discussions of discrepancies and analysis of problems. Mr. Harland's English background and his greater familiarity with that area are reflected in this book. Volume I offers material of specific interest to study groups among the Latter-Day Saints.

The Deseret Book Company or Bookcraft Publishers of Salt Lake City, or Everton Publishers of Logan, Utah can probably supply any of the books in this group.

Four recent publications of general interest were also studied by the members of the Editorial Staff. The first of these was a small pamphlet issued in 1958 by the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, titled IS THAT LINEAGE RIGHT? Primarily intended as a help for chapter registrars, it included many suggestions for amateur searchers. It has been available through the national headquarters of the D.A.R., at 1776 D Street, Washington 6, D.C., for fifty cents.

Dr. Russell E. Bidlack's FIRST STEPS IN CLIMBING THE FAMILY TREE was first given as an address for the genealogy section of the first Local History Conference in Detroit in 1958. It was later published by The Detroit Society for Genealogical Research and can be secured for \$1.00 or 60¢ to members. Dr. Bidlack's introduction is most comprehensive; his illustrations and examples were taken from his own searching of southern records; a section on library organization is included; and any searcher will find it interesting, no matter how extensive his experience.

KNOW YOUR ANCESTORS was published in 1959, in mimeographed form, by the author, Mrs. E. Gray Williams of 730 Parker St., Kalamazoo 56, Michigan. It is an outline of material used for an adult education course in genealogy in Kalamazoo, containing many, many outlines and bibliographical references. Mrs. Williams informed us that the second edition is to be published by the Tuttle Company of Vermont, with a probable price of \$5.00.

1960 was ushered in with a publication that is probably the most-awaited and the most ambitious genealogical project we will see for many years. The American Society of Genealogists (an elected group of 50 outstanding genealogists, chosen on the basis of the quantity and quality of their published works in the field of American genealogy) has long been working on the plan for this book, called GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH: METHODS AND SOURCES. Each chapter in the book is written by an expert in that particular field. Some were written many years ago, but later revised before publication. Some are "fresh off the cuff". The first section of the book is general and introductory. The second is probably the one which will be used most, with its chapters on sources for each of the original thirteen states, which are factual and detailed. In addition, separate sections are found on foreign sources and heraldry. It is quite understandable that the editors were unable to index this book; indeed, it was a trojan effort to get it into print. This is not the guide for the beginner's first study. But any beginner who feels his interest growing and his determination strengthening, might just as well break down and spend \$5.50 for this excellent book. As a seasoned searcher, he will need it and he might just as well get it now. It is sold by The American Society of Genealogists, c/o Miss Thekla Stephan, 5303 - 14th St., Washington 11, D.C.

Whether you purchase books for your own library, borrow from a friend or study them at a library, you'll probably find the time well spent. At least, we understand some of the Editorial Staff made purchases or reported new ideas which were really helpful. Going to try it?

IS THIS YOUR LINE?

Eva Murrell Harmison

A HOSLEY (HORSLEY) QUESTION OF IDENTIFICATION

"I think my Revolutionary ancestor must have been Swiss -- his name was Hosley -- and I wish I knew more about him." A question brought out that said ancestor lived in Vermont and this searcher had set out to prove that a Revolutionary Vermonter was probably not Swiss.

JOSEPH HOSLEY JR. of Westminster (Mass.) was published to ABIGAIL KENDALL of Lancaster on 22 Feb. 1766 and, as Joseph Horsley, married her on 24 July 1766. He may have been the Joseph Horsley of Princeton who marched on the Lexington Alarm on 19 Apr. 1775 and served 12 days at that time. (Mass. Soldiers and Sailors 8:261)

In 1790 a Joseph Hosley appeared in the census at Leicester, Vermont, with 3 males over 16 and 3 females in his family. In 1800, Joseph Horseley was listed at Salisbury, Vt., with 1 male 16-26 and 1 female 10-16 and he and his wife both aged over 45. On 11 Oct. 1803, an Abigail Hosley m. Jesse Foot at Salisbury (Vermont VR), who may have been the girl, 10-16 years in 1800.

From a genealogy of the Chapman family (1854), we get a list of 8 children of Kendall Hosley who m. 4 July 1829 Deborah Spencer, dau. of Reuben and Mercy (Chapman) Spencer, b. 28 Dec. 1809 in Oneida Co., New York. Two children died in infancy and the other 6 were named Merrill, Wayne, Amarette, Burr, Mariette, Jay, and Jennet. No Vermont connection is indicated.

An 1896 history of Ingham and Livingston Counties (Michigan) states that JOSEPH HOSLEY, a native of Vermont, with wife SARAH NORTHROP, a native of New York, and their son William, b. 7 July 1821 at Sullivan, Madison Co., N.Y., settled at Oak Grove and then at Howell, in Livingston County, Michigan. Joseph Hosley's first purchase of land was 411.4 acres in Deerfield Township, which probably became the two farms listed on the 1844 tax list of 252 acres to William Hosley and 160 acres to Joseph.

Holland Hosley, who witnessed a marriage in 1844 in Tuscola Twp., Livingston Co., Michigan was probably another son of Joseph and Sarah, as "Darah Jane, wife of Holland C. Hosley", who died 17 Apr. 1856, ae 26 yrs 5 mos 4 da, is buried in Boutell Cemetery, Cohoctah Township, beside Joseph and Sarah. We know nothing further about Holland.

It is pure conjecture that Joseph who married Sarah Northrop was a son of Joseph of Leicester, Vt., but all other Horsley-Hosley families in Vermont have been identified: namely, Asa in Townshend in 1800 who was Asa⁵ (William⁴, Joseph³, James²,¹); Asa's father, William, in Plymouth in 1800; and David in Whitingham in 1800, who was in all probability a brother of William.

There are other Joseph Hosleys who may have had some connection with Joseph who married Sarah Northrop. In 1671 a Joseph Horsley married Mary Creassee at Rowley, Mass. and was listed as a freeholder of Rowley in 1677. As Joseph Hosly, he received land in Narragansett Township No. 6 (now Templeton, Mass.) for service in King Philip's War. A daughter Elizabeth was recorded in Rowley in 1672 and there may have been other children who left descendants.

In 1790, in Rensselaerswick, in Albany Co., N.Y., another Joseph Hosley appeared with 8 males over 16, 6 males under 16 and 14 females in his household. Rensselaerswick is close enough to Vermont that an attempt was made to secure further data. To date, no information has been found: no vital records, no deeds, no probates. And a household of 28 persons is large enough to whet anyone's curiosity!

Of 26 heads of Horsley-Hosley households in the 1790 census, 12 in Massachusetts have been identified. All are in the 3rd or 4th generations of the James Horsley of Dorchester family, and James Hoxley of Hancock, N.H., also belongs to this group. In Amherst Co., Virginia, we find 3 brothers who spelled the name Horsley. We still need to find something about MATTHEW HOSELEY of Fayette Co., Ky.; 2 THOMAS HORSLYS of Baltimore and Queen Ann's Co., Md.; JOSEPH of Rensselaerswick with his large family; a LEONARD HOSLEY in Lehigh Twp., Northampton Co., Pa.; 4 Virginians, RICHARD HORSELEY of Frederick Co., GEORGE HORSLEY of New Kent Co., and RICHARD and JAMES HORSLEY, both of Halifax Co.; and JOSEPH of Leicester, Vt., who may have been the son of Joseph³ (James²,¹) in the Dorchester family.

Any data on Horsley-Hosley families will be gratefully received and/or shared by Lucy Mary Kellogg, Route 3, Brighton, Michigan.

REPORT OF MEETINGS

Roy E. McFee

The Society began its twenty-fifth year with the meeting of September 10. Past President Keith H. Etcher served as moderator for an audience discussion of "Results of Summer Genealogical Searching."

Mrs. Raymond Hanneman told of work of herself and husband. She finished compiling her Landgraf and Kennedy family histories into book form, to include many photographs and letters, also newspaper clippings. A complete copy of John Kennedy's diary is an important part of his family's history. Mr. and Mrs. Hanneman also went to the cemetery at Meade, Michigan (in Macomb County) and copied inscriptions for our Magazine. It was cold out there.

Mr. Clinton A. Springer explained that he had felt only a casual interest in genealogy during the lifetime of his wife, who was Mrs. Hilah Eddy Springer, our member. But since then he has become increasingly absorbed in her work on her ancestral lines and his own, with the result that he has been adding to her work. He has also joined our Society. He has a book, Giffen Genealogical Family History, by Rev. J. W. Giffin, published 1927. It goes back into Scotland to 1370. He has been bringing it down to date and now has 20 pages of additions. Besides Springer and Giffen, others of his family names are Downing, Canterbury, and Kenfield (or Kentfield). He expects to go to Massachusetts soon, for material on his mother's lines.

Mrs. Keith H. Etcher announced that she always tries to go along with her husband's interests. They had a summer trip to Cleveland, Ohio, and spent much time in libraries there, and particularly at the library of Western Reserve Historical Society. She paid high tribute to the librarians for their friendliness and helpfulness.

Mrs. Joseph P. Thompson did research in Hudson, Michigan, as she has for many summers. She works particularly with the files of the Hudson Gazette, now the Hudson Post-Gazette, and thereby has delved deeply into the Civil War, as involving the Fountain family. William T. B. Schermerhorn, once editor of this newspaper, has left a granddaughter, Miss Jane Schermerhorn, now writer with the Detroit News.

Mrs. S. D. Jones has a photostat of the will of her great-great-great-grandfather, Lemuel Stewart, a Revolutionary soldier who was at the surrender of Fort Ticonderoga. He was given as bounty a huge tract of land in Ontario County, New York. His son, her great-great-grandfather, was James Stewart, M.D., who came from Massachusetts to this New York region, and next, in 1836, on to Chelsea, Michigan, becoming the first physician there. He died intestate, but, because he owed a small bill, his name is in probate records. Mrs. Jones expects to study her Stewarts further this month, at Canandaigua, New York, and in Williamstown, Massachusetts, when she takes her son back to school.

Mrs. Celia Freiberg visited this summer the cemetery of her Stevens family on the back of a farm near Port Byron, Cayuga County, New York. Silas Stevens, Sr., was of Brookfield, Massachusetts. But Silas, Jr., came to Cayuga County. He married Mary Patrick, and their son James married Jane Teft. This latter couple became Mrs. Freiberg's great-grandparents. She was fortunate recently to be given much Teft material from her fourth cousin, who is not, however, a Teft descendant. This relative had copied it along with material of her own line, realizing there was some connection and that she might be helping someone. Mrs. Freiberg and her fourth cousin are great-great-granddaughters of two sisters, Hannah and Abigail Robinson, respectively, and through them descendants of John Robinson, the Pilgrim clergyman who died in Leyden, Holland, before he could come to the New World.

This fine program inspired much talking in little groups after the meeting's end.

***** GOOD NEWS FROM IOWA CITY *****

* At the annual meeting of the American Association for State and Local History at Iowa *
 * City in September, the Detroit Society for Genealogical Research was designated as one *
 * of five "specialized societies" to receive an Award of Merit from the Association. We *
 * proudly quote: "Designed to pay tribute to those people who promote a better under- *
 * standing of America's heritage at the local level, these awards are given annually to *
 * individuals and groups deemed worthy by reason of outstanding achievement or signifi- *
 * cant new project in the field of state and local history." The DSGR is cited "for a *
 * distinctive publication and for a series of research aids by outstanding authorities." *

GENEALOGICAL QUERIES

Katie R. Mills

Inquiries and correspondence for this department should be sent directly to the Queries Editor, Miss Katie R. Mills, 30074 Carl Avenue, New Haven, Michigan.

PLEASE NOTE: Each query must have a date and a location.

2178: F-49: FOX-GLEN(E): Ancestry wanted of John & Mary (Glen) Fox, who moved in 1823 from Chester, Vt., to Italy Hills, N.Y. Their Children were: (1) James m. Jane Dean (2) Isabel m. Otis Fish (3) Sarah m. Levi Wood (4) John (5) Dudley (6) Naby (7) Mary m. --- Fuller (8) Jeremiah. Did Mary Glen come from Connecticut?

2179: F-49: FISH: Ancestry wanted of Otis Fish, b. ca 1790 in Vt., m. Isabel Fox, dau. John & Mary (Glen) Fox. In 1823 this family lived in Ogdensburg, St. Lawrence Co., N.Y. He was cordwainer and d. at age 45, after which his widow and ten children moved to Italy Hills, N.Y. Did Otis Fish come from Connecticut? He named first child John. A John Fish m. Susan Lamb at Groton, Connecticut, and moved to Vermont. Any relationship?

2180: F-49: GRIGGS-CAIN-PAULDING-MILLS: Ancestry wanted of Philip Griggs, who m. Rebecca Cain(e), dau of --?-- & Mary (Paulding) Cain. Mary was sister of John Paulding of Tarrytown, N.Y. who captured Andre. Family tradition is that Philip Griggs was born at Woodstock, Vt., son of Joseph & Penelope (Goodale) Griggs - but no record available. Philip's dau. Moriah m. William Webster Mills, b. 1798.

2181: H-85: BESSEE--?--: Ancestry wanted of Nehemiah & Mary --?-- Bessee, whose children are recorded at Sandwich, Mass.: Mary, 1680; Nehemiah, 1682; Robert, 1690; Joshua, 1692; David, 1693; Hannah, 1694; Benjamin, 1696; Ebenezer, 1699. Correspondence invited.

2182: H-85: ROCKWELL-WELCH: Identity wanted of Benjamin Rockwell and of his wife Hannah Welch, m. in 1808 at Franklin, Vermont. Also want list of their children.

2183: H-85: ROCKWELL-HOWARD: Ancestry wanted of Joseph Rockwell, who settled at Brome, P.Q., in 1835 - prob. from N.H. or Sheldon, Vt. His dau. Adeline Rockwell (1842-1902) m. in 1866 at St. Albans, Vt., Edgar O. Howard, son of Moses Howard of Fairfax, Vermont.

2184: H-85: ROCKWELL: In 1845 Moses Howard above had business with Samuel Rockwell. Did any relationship exist between these three Rockwells - Samuel, Joseph and Benjamin above?

2185: S-107: SHERWOOD-ELVES: Data wanted of Raffael Sherwood, b. 1822, m. 1849 Sarah Elizabeth Elves, b. 1834. Both b. in Canada - came to Ravenna, Muskegon Co., Michigan ca 1871.

2186: S-107: BLAKESLEE-OSBORN: Data wanted of David Blakeslee who m. Fanny Osborn, who d. 28 Sept. 1848, in Mendon, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. "David went West on excursion train ca 1875-1881 and was killed by Indians with rest of passengers."

2187: S-107: AUTON--?--: Data wanted of the first wife of Sylvester Auton, possibly Samantha --?--, who d. ca 1845 at Mendon, St. Joseph Co., Michigan. He m. (2) Sarah M. Cargle.

2188: W-11: WOODRUFF: Hatfield's History of Elizabeth, N.J. records a meeting of Inhabitants and Freeholders of Elizabeth, N.J., 2 Aug. 1720. Of the 7 Woodruffs (over 21 yrs.) who participated, can any one identify Caleb Woodruff, either by parentage or descendants?

2189: W-11: WOODRUFF: Desire names of wife and children of Joshua Woodruff, d. intestate 1759, Essex Co., N.J. (Abstract of Wills N. J. Archives Vol. III, p. 367) He was son of John Woodruff (1687-1758) and wife Marcy Carle.

2190: W-11: WOODRUFF-LIPPINCOTT: Desire names of children of Ichabod Woodruff, ship carpenter, b. Essex Co., N.J. son of Benjamin Woodruff (d. 1726) & Sussannah (--?--) Her will in Abstract of Wills N. J. Archives, Vol. I, p. 522; m. in 1739 Mary, dau of John Lippincott. Ichabod Woodruff d. intestate 1745 at Woodbridge, Middlesex Co., N.J.

2191: W-11: WOODRUFF: Desire names of wife and children of Elias Woodruff, b. 1684 at Elizabeth, Essex Co., N.J., second son of John Woodruff (1665-1767) and wife Sarah Cooper.

2192: W-11: TUTTLE-PRITCHARD: Ancestry wanted of Pamela Tuttle, b. ca 1802, at Waterbury, Conn.; m. Erastus Pritchard (1800-1863) of same place. They migrated to Perkins, Sandusky Co., Ohio, and then to Cleveland, Ohio.

2193: W-11: VAN ARSDALE-WYCKOFF: Ancestry wanted of Sarah Van Arsdale (1746-1797) who m. Jacob Wyckoff of Clinton and Mendham, Morris Co., New Jersey.

2194: W-11: APLIN: Data wanted of Thomas Aplin, carriage builder, b. 1800 Devonshire, England, who emigrated with first wife and children Peter, Ruth, and perhaps others, to New Dover and Cardington, Union Co., Ohio. Thomas d. 1869, and he and second wife Sarah --?-- are buried in Buxton Cem., Dover, Ohio. Do Devonshire VR exist that identify Thomas & first wife further?

2195: T-41: BLODGETT-ROWELL: Want ancestry of Thomas Blodgett, b. ca 1770 in Mass. (Holden?); res. Wentworth, N.H., Naples, N.Y., Pavilion, Mich.; d. 2 Dec. 1860 Portage, Mich.; m. Deborah Rowell (1780- ?); had sons George Marion, William Riley, Eliakim, Jared R., and perhaps others. Left many desc. in Michigan. He served briefly in War of 1812 from N.Y., and his father is said to have served in Rev. War from Vermont.

2196: T-41: BLODGETT: Want proved ancestry and record of children of Anson Blodgett (1825-1896) b. Batavia, N.Y., d. Chester, Eaton Co., Mich; m. (1) Hannah E. Walker & (2) Belinda (Sweet) Johnson (1834-1919). Left many desc. in Eaton County. Said to be son of Jonas & Sarah (Caton) Blodgett of Bennington, Genesee Co., N.Y. and Wales, Erie Co., New York.

2197: S-85: BOSWORTH-BRIGHAM: Correspondence wanted with desc. of Aaron & Moriah (Bosworth) Brigham, of Lowville, Lewis Co., N.Y., who moved ca 1831 to Genesee Co., Mich., and before 1838 to Hadley, Lapeer Co., Michigan. Their six children were: (1) George W., b. 1836 in Genesee Co., m. at Hadley Lydia H. Pierson, d. of fever soon after enlistment in Civil War. They had two ch.: Mary Ella, b. 1859 and a child ten days old when the father's body was received for burial; (2) David C. (1838-1864)- Civil War Soldier; (3) Morris (1844-1845); (4) Mary Jane, b. 1846, m. 20 Feb. 1869 --?--, who was a farmer - she would live 5 miles from home; (5) Horace Alfred (1851-1852); (6) Stephen Henry, b. 1853, still living 1869. I have copies of letters written by Moriah (Bosworth) Brigham to Jane Searl Chalmers. Does any one have Jane's letters in answer?

ANSWERS

2077: F-43: PENLAND-ASHBY-PEMBERTON: Sarah Ashby and Andrew Penland were m. 1 Aug. 1827 in Wayne Co., Indiana (Record Book A, p. 152). Other Ashby records: p. 70, Lutas (Lettice) Ashby & James Bannon, 26 June 1823; p. 86, Abraham Ashby & Mariah Jones, 28 Aug. 1824; p. 178, Lavina Ashby & William Austin, 14 Feb. 1828; and in 1st Book, p. 12, Eleanor Ashby & Joseph Pemberton, 3 Dec. 1813. In Penn Twp., Cass Co., Mich., Andrew Penland m. Easter Johnson, age 37, on 19 June 1851 - this was a second marriage for both -- she was a dau. of Joseph & Eleanor (Ashby) Pemberton. Other records in Penn Twp: Irena Pemberton, age 19, m. Murray Hart, age 23 29 Jan. 1844; Mary Ann Pemberton m. Howell Jones 31 Jan. 1844. Both marriages were in presence of Eliphalet and Eleanor Pemberton. Irena, Mary Ann and Eliphalet were children of Joseph & Eleanor (Ashby) Pemberton. Also Alexander Penland, age 23, m. Irena Johnson, age 15, 31 July 1851 - he was son of Andrew Penland.

Ans. by querist from clues furnished by Mrs. L. L. Vanderburg, 101 James St., Dowagiac, Michigan

2128: B-110: BOND: Lewis Bond (1767-1851) was son of Jacob Bond (1738-1806), and Jacob was a grandson of Benjamin Bond³ (1680-1760) (Joseph², Robert¹) - See Hatfield's History of Elizabeth, N.J., and (Wills) N. J. Archives Vol. 32, p. 35. St. Anne's Church in Detroit has m. record of Lewis Bond and Mary Ann Smith (1779-1845). Their children were: Jefferson; Louis Washington; Francis, b. 1811; Nicholas (1814-1815); American Alexander DeCatur, 1817; Sarah Sibley (1819-1905) m. John Baptist Paxton, b. 1820; Mary Margaret (1821-1846) m. George Labodie.

Ans. by Mrs. John E. Hebel, 519 Orange Ave., Daytona Beach, Fla.

NOTES AND NEWS

The pioneering spirit carries on. Besides having an active and personal interest in all the pioneers numbered among our ancestors, the members of The Detroit Society for Genealogical Research in the area of metropolitan Detroit (and out a little farther) have been doing some pioneering on their own accord. Under the leadership of MARQUIS E. SHATTUCK as Co-ordinator, members of the DSGR are helping to conduct the course in Genealogy and Local History, which is a part of the Adult Education Program for Fall 1960, sponsored jointly by Wayne State University and the University of Michigan. Twelve sessions are being held, with an average attendance of 28 to 30. Of the enrolled students, probably half had never heard of -- or at least had never been members of -- The Detroit Society for Genealogical Research. Many of the students, of course, have been on the membership roll for years. We have not taken a poll as yet of the students' opinions of the course -- but we can name at least 12 out of the "faculty members" who admit freely that they have learned more about their particular subjects in getting ready to conduct their part of the Genealogy and Local History course, than they had ever gleaned in just private searching. So there's another way to broaden your horizon and deepen your interest in genealogy: just get yourself put on a teaching assignment. (Another way is to write an article for this Magazine.) A fuller report on the course will appear in our next issue.

Speaking of pioneers, we call your attention to the new family history starting in this issue about the pioneer of Mt. Clemens, Christian Clemens. This has been compiled by Christian's great-granddaughter, REBECCA CRITTENDEN, who started this particular history soon after she became a charter member of the DSGR. Miss Crittenden asked us to put a footnote in to express her appreciation and gratitude to MRS. C. FOSTER MEANWELL, who aided in getting this material together in its present form.

This is the harvest season and our new Treasurer, KATIE R. MILLS, reports that many of you have been sending in your dues promptly, which she appreciates very much. Your Editor also appreciates the many friendly notes and bits of news which come in with the mail to the Treasurer and other officers. In the folder we found friendly greetings and kind words from coast to coast ... MRS. B. G. HANSON of San Pedro, California, ERNEST RANKIN of Marquette and the Upper Peninsula, MRS. HARRIET WALKER of Simcoe, Ontario, and many others. MRS. FRANK SETH of White Plains takes time to comment on our Magazine; in a recent issue of her Westchester Genealogist, she had a hand-colored coat-of-arms which was all ready for framing and hanging on one's wall. Another New Yorker, ARTHUR F. HOWLAND of Larchmont, admits to a "minor hospital job...but hopes to be on the road again soon, probably to Albany and New England points. You are aware of the allure of the Essex Institute and those breakfast wheatcakes at the nearby Hawthorne Hotel." How many of the rest of you are studying gastronomy as well as genealogy?

Other travelers include MRS. JOHN H. HARRIS, commuting between playing nursemaid to a brother in South Dakota and friend husband in Michigan; MR. AND MRS. MILFORD H. S. HICKS to Massachusetts, Vermont and parts of Canada and Michigan, who found some bugling elks much more exciting than the hurricane Donna; MRS. OTIS A. CROSBY who spent a month in Utah and California but came home to the first grandchild in Michigan; MRS. HARRY F. GOING of Pontiac who finally took off, via jet, for Europe and claims she took plenty of time planning the trip (she is now 82 years young).

Permanent changes of address have been recorded for the W. H. BELLS in Bellingham, Washington where they enjoy the fruit country and their family; for ETHEL G. WHITE who has moved from Iowa to San Diego to live with her brother; for ALICE J. ANDREWS from Los Gatos to the Salem Lutheran Home in Oakland, Calif.

L. R. RAYMOND of Detroit is recovering from a broken hip in Detroit and MRS. GRACE E. CHAMBERLAIN of Williamston is still having difficulty with lameness. MERLE PERRY JR. of Flint has another kind of difficulty: getting time enough to do what he wants to do! At the October meeting he told us of his present task of compiling family records on Genesee County pioneers, concentrating on pre-1900 families. "The job I've started with these pioneer families will probably run 30 years or more! But I'm young yet!"

MAURICE W. FOX was exulting recently over new ancestors discovered -- and proved -- in his Mayflower research. This particular third-generation Allerton marriage was on record in Westmoreland County, Virginia.

And two of our DSGR members proved themselves equally adept at getting the record, when on a trip east last summer, they found a tombstone hard to decipher. Lacking chalk or other aids for interpreting the "statistics on stone", one member contributed tooth powder in lieu of chalk. Not to be outdone, the other traveler came up with the most available piece of lingerie to use in wiping the stone. They got the record!

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